

# **TOBACCO MARKET REVIEW**

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## **FLUE-CURED**

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**1977 CROP**

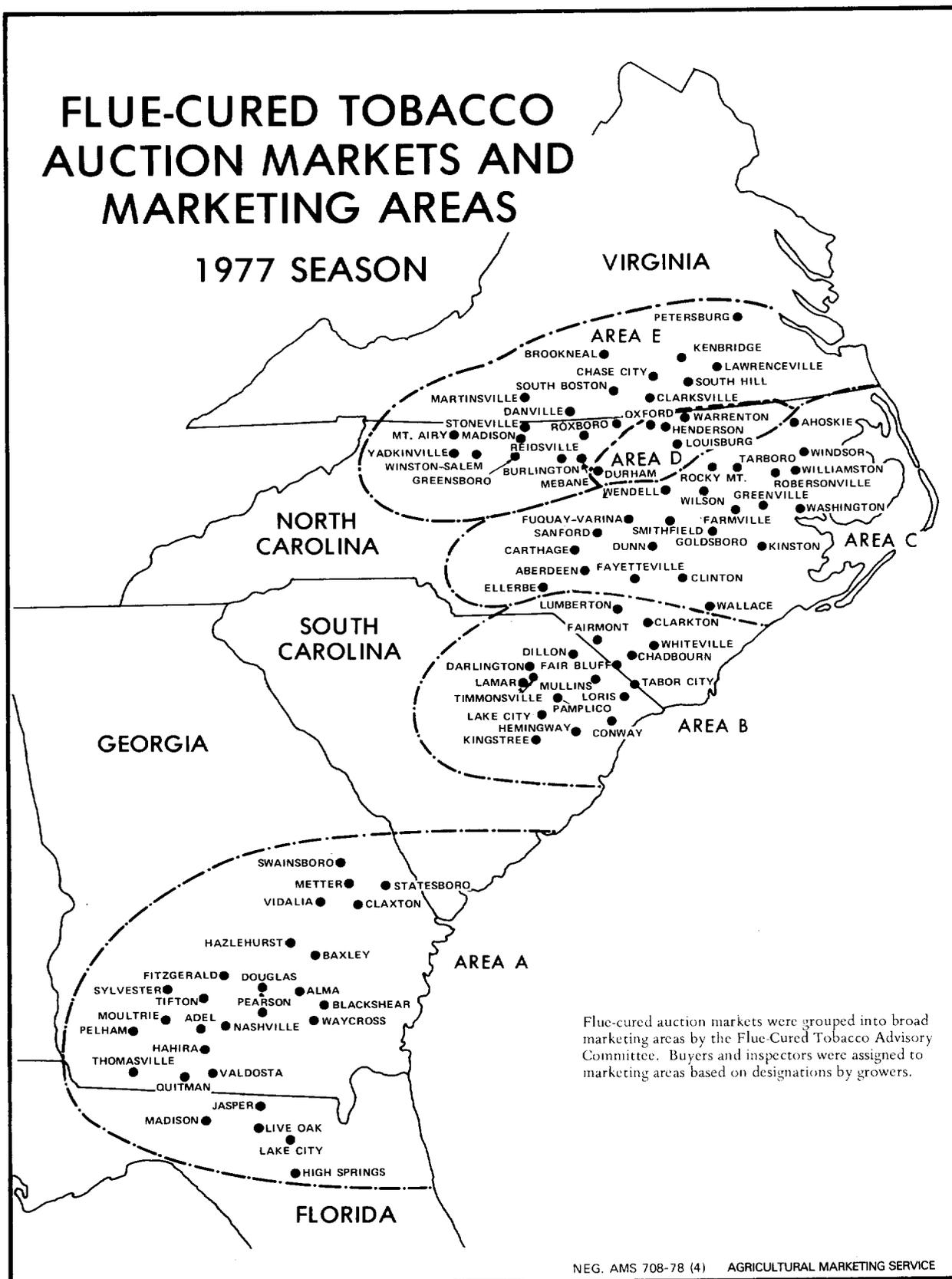
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# FLUE-CURED TOBACCO AUCTION MARKETS AND MARKETING AREAS

## 1977 SEASON



Flue-cured auction markets were grouped into broad marketing areas by the Flue-Cured Tobacco Advisory Committee. Buyers and inspectors were assigned to marketing areas based on designations by growers.

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The statistics on sales and markets in this Review were compiled from reports and records of the State Departments of Agriculture of Florida, Georgia, South Carolina, North Carolina, and Virginia; and from data furnished by marketing recorders employed through county ASCS offices; and from information received direct from markets and trade sources. The statistics on prices by grades were based on compilation of data recorded from warehouse sales tickets from representative markets in the flue-cured area.

REVIEW OF THE 1977 FLUE-CURED MARKETING SEASON

Net Value of \$1,319.7 million

Grade averages higher

Volume decreases

Loan receipts decline

Quality down

"Dry" was probably the best single word to describe the 1977 crop of flue-cured tobacco. A lack of rain during the growing season in all production areas greatly affected both volume and quality of the crop. Following the pattern of the past few years, early sales consisted mainly of primings, nondescript and lugs with prices just above support levels. Prices advanced fairly rapidly as upper stalk tobacco appeared on floors with the peak period in mid to latter September. Numerous grades of leaf and cutters were averaging in the \$150 to \$160 per hundred range during September. Weakness occurred on unripe tobacco near the end of the season.

Sales and Averages. The Federal-State Market News Service reported a net average price of \$117.68 per hundred for the 1977 crop - up \$7.17 from 1976. Producers' sales at auction totaled 1,121.4 million pounds and returned \$1,319.7 million to growers.

Grade Averages. Averages for all grades were higher than for the 1976 crop. Gains of \$20 to \$30 per hundred occurred for over 60 percent of the grades. Nondescript showed the smallest gains of \$8 to \$12 in most cases with lower quality tobacco from the leaf group up \$11 to \$15 per hundred. Top averages of \$150 to \$165 were paid for better quality leaf and cutters.

Composition of Offerings. Quality of the 1977 crop was down sharply from 1976. The hot, dry weather that occurred in all belts was the major factor affecting the crop. Increased amounts of unripe, immature and nondescript tobacco were sold with considerably less ripe and mellow grades. Overall, a drop of 13.3 percent occurred in upper stalk grades, lugs were the same, primings declined 5.1 percent and nondescript gained 16.6 percent from last year. The three heaviest volume grades and their percentages were: N2 (8.9); B5KF (5.7) and B5K (4.4). Rounding out the top ten grades were B4K (4.2); B6KF (4.1); N1GL (3.5); B4F (3.5); B4KF (3.1); B4KM (3.0) and B5KV (2.5). These ten grades accounted for 42.9 percent of all sales.

Stabilization Receipts. Poundage placed under loan declined in all flue-cured areas in 1977. A total of 193.1 million pounds were delivered to the Flue-Cured Stabilization Corporation compared to 276.9 million pounds in 1976. Leaf (B) grades accounted for 48 percent of receipts this year, primings (P) 9 percent, nondescript (N) and lugs (X) both 14 percent, cutters (C) 4 percent, and smoking leaf (H) only 1 percent. Much of the leaf tobacco came from the Old and Middle Belt late in the season when heavy amounts of unripe leaf were offered for sale.

Loan Rates. Loan rates by grades for the 1977 crop reflected an average support level of 113.8 cents per pound compared to 106.0 cents for the 1976 crop. Eligible growers were required to certify that they had not used DDT or TDE insecticides on their crops. Random samplings were conducted by Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service to check for compliance.

Marketing Regulations. This was the fourth season under the Grower Designation Plan. The basic provisions of the plan are: growers can designate their quota to individual warehouses within a 100-mile radius of the county seat of the county in which the farm is located and receive price support (sales outside a grower's radius are not eligible for price support); designations can be changed during the season at specified intervals or any time in certain cases; a Flue-Cured Tobacco Advisory Committee advises the Secretary on marketing conditions and recommends adjustments during the season. The plan is designed to allow growers the opportunity to sell tobacco at the warehouse of their choice in their marketing area.

Grades Revised. Grade standards were revised for the 1977 crop to more accurately describe tobacco as it appears on the warehouse floors. New grades added were: C4S; X3S; X4GK and N1B0. Also, special factors "sand" and "dirt" were applied to all priming grades and to first quality nondescript from the priming group which had a moderate amount of sand or dirt. This factor, when applied, lowered the support price of the grade by 10 percent.

Table 1 Allotted sales opportunities compared to producers' sales, 1977 crop. 1/

| Week Ending: | MARKETING AREA A |                           | MARKETING AREA B |                           | MARKETING AREA C |                           | MARKETING AREA D |                           | MARKETING AREA E |                           | TOTAL FLUE-CURED |                           |
|--------------|------------------|---------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|
|              | Sets of Buyers   | Prod. Sales Oppert. Sales | Sets of Buyers   | Prod. Sales Oppert. Sales | Sets of Buyers   | Prod. Sales Oppert. Sales | Sets of Buyers   | Prod. Sales Oppert. Sales | Sets of Buyers   | Prod. Sales Oppert. Sales | Sets of Buyers   | Prod. Sales Oppert. Sales |
| July 15      | 18               | 19,938 10,970             | -                | -                         | -                | -                         | -                | -                         | -                | -                         | 18               | 19,938 10,970             |
| July 21      | 18               | 26,507 10,605             | 21               | 24,107 13,485             | -                | -                         | -                | -                         | -                | -                         | 39               | 50,614 24,090             |
| July 28      | 18               | 26,612 14,294             | 21               | 32,182 14,050             | 21               | 31,326 24,836             | -                | -                         | -                | -                         | 60               | 90,120 53,180             |
| Aug. 4       | 18               | 26,591 18,352             | 21               | 32,257 19,785             | 21               | 31,297 25,614             | 4                | 3,528 1,424               | -                | -                         | 64               | 93,673 65,175             |
| Aug. 11      | 9                | 14,103 13,244             | 14               | 21,062 18,069             | 24               | 35,140 30,286             | 4                | 4,710 1,953               | 15               | 14,556 9,422              | 66               | 89,571 72,974             |
| Aug. 18      | 9                | 14,353 14,336             | 14               | 21,413 20,267             | 24               | 35,666 33,601             | 4                | 4,750 3,082               | 15               | 19,485 11,549             | 66               | 95,667 82,835             |
| Aug. 25      | 9                | 14,398 14,435             | 14               | 21,355 20,667             | 24               | 35,656 35,110             | 4                | 4,750 4,309               | 15               | 19,466 15,086             | 66               | 95,625 89,607             |
| Sep. 1       | 9                | 12,829 12,949             | 14               | 18,146 18,231             | 24               | 35,655 35,502             | 4                | 4,750 4,274               | 15               | 19,471 14,967             | 66               | 90,851 85,923             |
| Sep. 8       | 9                | 9,554 9,717               | 14               | 13,591 13,598             | 24               | 26,867 25,429             | 4                | 3,569 3,530               | 15               | 14,608 13,821             | 66               | 68,189 66,095             |
| Sep. 15      | 9                | 11,077 11,249             | 14               | 16,554 16,550             | 24               | 32,688 33,182             | 4                | 4,720 4,754               | 15               | 19,502 19,070             | 66               | 84,541 84,805             |
| Sep. 22      | 9                | 15,084 13,598             | 14               | 16,528 16,462             | 24               | 32,648 32,574             | 4                | 4,720 4,726               | 15               | 19,500 18,823             | 66               | 88,480 86,183             |
| Sep. 29      | 9                | 15,084 10,944             | 14               | 16,584 16,477             | 24               | 32,833 32,643             | 4                | 4,720 4,701               | 15               | 19,492 18,707             | 66               | 88,713 83,472             |
| Oct. 6       | 2                | 1,423 <sup>4/</sup> 1,423 | 14               | 19,100 18,267             | 29               | 37,833 37,375             | 4                | 5,458 5,334               | 17               | 22,530 20,528             | 66               | 86,344 82,927             |
| Oct. 13      |                  | Closed                    | 14               | 14,357 11,344             | 29               | 28,330 27,660             | 4                | 4,081 4,094               | 17               | 16,842 16,602             | 64               | 63,610 59,700             |
| Oct. 20      |                  | -                         | 5                | 6,344 <sup>4/</sup> 6,344 | 29               | 40,915 32,187             | 4                | 5,972 5,908               | 17               | 24,862 22,334             | 55               | 78,093 66,773             |
| Oct. 27      |                  | -                         | 2                | 67 <sup>4/</sup> 67       | 29               | 30,702 15,127             | 4                | 4,487 4,390               | 17               | 18,738 17,679             | 52               | 53,994 37,263             |
| Nov. 3       |                  | -                         |                  | Closed                    | 7                | 5,138 8,465               | 4                | 6,532 5,553               | 17               | 27,056 24,444             | 28               | 38,726 38,462             |
| Nov. 10      |                  | -                         |                  | -                         | 2                | 2,144 576                 | 4                | 6,532 3,822               | 17               | 27,018 15,764             | 23               | 35,694 20,162             |
| Nov. 17      |                  | -                         |                  | -                         |                  | Closed                    | 4                | 929 <sup>4/</sup> 929     | 4                | 6,404 <sup>4/</sup> 6,404 | 8                | 7,333 7,333               |
| Nov. 25      |                  | -                         |                  | -                         |                  | -                         | 4                | 171 <sup>2/</sup> 171     | 2                | 1,271 <sup>2/</sup> 1,271 | 6                | 1,442 <sup>2/</sup> 1,442 |
| Nov. 28      |                  | -                         |                  | -                         |                  | -                         |                  | Closed                    | 2                | 32 <sup>2/</sup> 32       | 2                | 32 <sup>2/</sup> 32       |
| Dec. 9       |                  | -                         |                  | -                         |                  | -                         |                  | -                         | 2                | 94 <sup>2/</sup> 94       | 2                | 94 <sup>2/</sup> 94       |
|              |                  | Closed Oct. 6, 1977       |                  | Closed Oct. 26, 1977      |                  | Closed Nov. 9, 1977       |                  | Closed Nov. 21, 1977      |                  | Closed Dec. 9, 1977       |                  |                           |

1/ Based on grower designations. Sales scheduled by Tobacco Division, AMS, USDA, as recommended by the Flue-Cured Tobacco Advisory Committee.

2/ Clean-up sales.

3/ Derived from Weekly Market News Reports. Sales limited to 76,000 pounds per hour, per set of buyers; basket weight limit 250 pounds.

4/ Close-out for Area. Sales opportunity was not predetermined, but limited to 450,000 pounds per day per set of buyers.

Table 2 Initial and final designation of the 1977 and 1976 flue-cured crops 1/

MARKETING AREA "A"

| MARKET         | 1977 CROP   |             | 1976 CROP   |             |
|----------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
|                | INITIAL     | FINAL       | INITIAL     | FINAL       |
| Georgia:       |             |             |             |             |
| Adel           | 6,843,664   | 6,674,769   | 7,372,005   | 7,477,960   |
| Alma           | 5,734,255   | 5,733,252   | 5,830,044   | 6,032,540   |
| Baxley         | 6,125,043   | 5,990,847   | 6,461,823   | 6,560,801   |
| Blackshear     | 9,231,979   | 9,686,212   | 9,450,818   | 9,743,828   |
| Claxton        | 5,641,907   | 6,269,924   | 5,841,274   | 6,161,351   |
| Douglas        | 14,519,124  | 15,366,023  | 12,664,123  | 13,652,251  |
| Fitzgerald     | 5,088,436   | 5,592,849   | 5,642,809   | 5,741,862   |
| Hahira         | 4,603,870   | 4,707,310   | 5,066,755   | 5,065,913   |
| Hazlehurst     | 4,544,224   | 4,865,633   | 5,020,252   | 5,291,902   |
| Metter         | 5,923,934   | 6,000,586   | 6,526,869   | 6,742,790   |
| Moultrie       | 12,295,112  | 13,611,651  | 12,265,484  | 13,218,810  |
| Nashville      | 11,242,755  | 11,635,910  | 11,312,725  | 11,383,266  |
| Pearson        | 1,436,204   | 1,300,649   | 2,624,789   | 2,579,738   |
| Pelham         | 7,862,505   | 7,894,997   | 8,627,832   | 9,157,446   |
| Quitman        | 2,369,791   | 2,135,881   | 2,612,257   | 2,590,140   |
| Statesboro     | 7,215,991   | 8,036,833   | 7,721,503   | 7,483,882   |
| Swainsboro     | --          | --          | 78,707      | --          |
| Sylvester      | 579,631     | 229,604     | 953,345     | 847,934     |
| Thomasville    | 2,818,867   | 2,703,096   | 4,176,623   | 4,459,112   |
| Tifton         | 9,916,697   | 9,990,159   | 10,127,570  | 10,356,881  |
| Valdosta       | 7,988,561   | 7,853,127   | 7,140,079   | 7,170,029   |
| Vidalia        | 9,246,600   | 9,398,031   | 9,974,971   | 10,510,440  |
| Waycross       | 4,890,445   | 5,186,604   | 5,763,981   | 5,859,337   |
| Total Georgia  | 146,119,595 | 150,863,947 | 153,256,638 | 158,088,213 |
| Florida:       |             |             |             |             |
| High Springs   | 3,550,767   | 3,517,110   | 4,197,647   | 4,229,218   |
| Jasper         | 3,319,702   | 3,314,909   | 5,086,615   | 5,036,670   |
| Lake City      | 4,943,548   | 5,133,825   | 6,299,145   | 6,605,611   |
| Live Oak       | 10,060,632  | 10,219,381  | 13,112,737  | 13,036,719  |
| Madison        | 2,755,493   | 2,818,917   | 3,289,122   | 3,244,935   |
| Total Florida  | 24,630,142  | 25,004,142  | 31,985,266  | 32,153,153  |
| Total Area "A" | 170,749,737 | 175,868,089 | 185,241,904 | 190,241,366 |

MARKETING AREA "B"

|                 |             |             |             |             |
|-----------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| South Carolina: |             |             |             |             |
| Conway          | 12,259,657  | 12,649,511  | 12,915,920  | 13,355,651  |
| Darlington      | 8,554,217   | 8,573,192   | 9,151,053   | 9,331,197   |
| Dillon          | 4,246,114   | 4,080,663   | 5,216,309   | 5,157,617   |
| Hemmingway      | 9,368,240   | 9,630,260   | 10,203,056  | 9,999,183   |
| Kingstree       | 8,374,439   | 9,085,224   | 8,667,666   | 10,181,996  |
| Lake City       | 32,502,597  | 35,124,652  | 35,779,790  | 39,009,334  |
| Lamar           | 2,041,917   | 2,097,931   | 2,712,143   | 2,585,065   |
| Loris           | 11,181,977  | 11,218,197  | 11,989,764  | 12,290,554  |
| Mullins         | 33,175,162  | 34,136,059  | 36,164,957  | 37,967,600  |
| Pamlico         | 7,406,095   | 7,318,443   | 8,487,772   | 8,921,362   |
| Timmons ville   | 11,563,025  | 11,369,671  | 14,306,876  | 14,486,682  |
| Total S. C.     | 140,673,440 | 145,283,803 | 155,595,306 | 163,286,241 |
| North Carolina: |             |             |             |             |
| Chadbourn       | 10,477,141  | 11,223,368  | 10,550,341  | 10,944,525  |
| Clarkton        | 5,714,622   | 6,127,342   | 6,290,514   | 7,232,211   |
| Fair Bluff      | 7,328,788   | 7,287,536   | 7,301,551   | 7,379,508   |
| Fairmont        | 27,807,250  | 27,948,244  | 30,522,998  | 31,122,317  |
| Lumberton       | 24,166,371  | 24,145,220  | 27,796,323  | 28,681,479  |
| Tabor City      | 12,241,568  | 13,040,048  | 13,006,859  | 13,736,909  |
| Whiteville      | 19,638,770  | 20,226,358  | 22,858,043  | 23,764,024  |
| Total N. C.     | 107,374,510 | 109,998,116 | 118,326,629 | 122,860,973 |
| Total Area "B"  | 248,047,950 | 255,281,919 | 273,921,935 | 286,147,214 |

See footnote at end of table.

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Table 2 Initial and final designation of the 1977 and 1976 flue-cured crops 1/  
MARKETING AREA "C"

| MARKET                    | 1977 CROP     |               | 1976 CROP     |               |
|---------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
|                           | INITIAL       | FINAL         | INITIAL       | FINAL         |
| <b>MARKETING AREA "C"</b> |               |               |               |               |
| North Carolina:           |               |               |               |               |
| Aberdeen                  | 7,771,258     | 8,622,867     | 7,980,160     | 8,637,692     |
| Ahoskie                   | 8,628,555     | 8,928,616     | 12,292,467    | 12,474,887    |
| Carthage                  | 12,362,737    | 12,063,782    | 14,371,982    | 14,989,585    |
| Clinton                   | 18,076,096    | 18,212,073    | 19,566,073    | 20,201,601    |
| Dunn                      | 15,178,238    | 17,448,688    | 17,857,008    | 18,978,700    |
| Ellerbe                   | 2,326,209     | 2,221,410     | 4,446,904     | 4,875,501     |
| Farmville                 | 29,719,159    | 30,520,132    | 34,822,603    | 35,224,179    |
| Fayetteville              | 4,383,864     | 4,294,375     | 5,592,840     | 5,669,581     |
| Fuquay-Varina             | 27,815,329    | 27,927,547    | 34,085,490    | 35,169,363    |
| Goldsboro                 | 28,748,577    | 30,095,937    | 29,259,018    | 30,909,877    |
| Greenville                | 47,449,564    | 48,515,899    | 55,666,827    | 56,753,682    |
| Kinston                   | 52,675,929    | 53,959,202    | 55,683,148    | 57,836,712    |
| Robersonville             | 8,299,293     | 7,862,966     | 11,422,675    | 11,388,242    |
| Rocky Mount               | 35,352,317    | 33,659,970    | 50,113,284    | 49,524,903    |
| Sanford                   | 14,170,979    | 15,134,668    | 16,773,022    | 17,151,934    |
| Smithfield                | 22,714,207    | 23,897,373    | 25,727,734    | 26,409,458    |
| Tarboro                   | 6,078,773     | 6,048,906     | 8,953,838     | 8,968,939     |
| Wallace                   | 13,722,513    | 14,416,478    | 16,591,623    | 16,941,905    |
| Washington                | 11,562,149    | 11,772,601    | 14,958,799    | 14,985,695    |
| Wendell                   | 13,716,306    | 13,580,339    | 14,424,252    | 14,873,534    |
| Williamston               | 12,029,597    | 12,492,462    | 14,286,037    | 14,187,291    |
| Wilson                    | 83,839,227    | 87,822,936    | 99,182,755    | 102,292,664   |
| Windsor                   | 10,495,668    | 11,184,574    | 11,840,136    | 12,361,597    |
| Total Area "C"            | 487,116,544   | 500,683,801   | 575,898,675   | 590,807,522   |
| <b>MARKETING AREA "D"</b> |               |               |               |               |
| North Carolina:           |               |               |               |               |
| Durham                    | 19,236,294    | 20,975,507    | 24,263,807    | 26,779,314    |
| Henderson                 | 16,039,666    | 16,960,565    | 21,696,056    | 23,767,181    |
| Louisburg                 | 8,717,106     | 8,488,644     | 11,223,586    | 11,966,154    |
| Oxford                    | 18,003,256    | 18,781,937    | 24,925,102    | 24,848,114    |
| Warrenton                 | 8,395,360     | 8,710,736     | 12,085,124    | 12,903,129    |
| Total Area "D"            | 70,391,682    | 73,917,389    | 94,193,675    | 100,263,892   |
| <b>MARKETING AREA "E"</b> |               |               |               |               |
| North Carolina:           |               |               |               |               |
| Burlington                | 7,187,852     | 7,776,421     | 8,559,701     | 9,149,401     |
| Greensboro                | 7,841,311     | 7,818,679     | 8,116,356     | 8,774,551     |
| Madison                   | 10,524,936    | 10,458,700    | 10,265,984    | 11,145,691    |
| Mebane                    | 7,127,486     | 7,130,521     | 9,867,154     | 10,124,780    |
| Mt. Airy                  | 14,475,475    | 15,551,908    | 15,625,952    | 16,362,986    |
| Reidsville                | 19,255,721    | 19,650,662    | 21,277,834    | 22,739,434    |
| Roxboro                   | 16,916,085    | 17,679,443    | 21,892,420    | 23,192,715    |
| Stoneville                | 13,521,400    | 13,611,997    | 16,636,815    | 16,891,787    |
| Winston-Salem             | 51,382,047    | 55,915,294    | 55,429,077    | 58,489,921    |
| Yadkinville               | 9,080,227     | 8,639,080     | 9,968,237     | 10,275,790    |
| Total N. C.               | 157,312,540   | 164,232,705   | 177,639,530   | 187,147,056   |
| Virginia:                 |               |               |               |               |
| Brookneal                 | 11,634,698    | 11,384,554    | 13,429,040    | 13,898,901    |
| Chase City                | 7,403,777     | 7,607,447     | 9,553,208     | 9,975,317     |
| Clarksville               | 6,266,803     | 6,586,340     | 7,961,858     | 8,030,713     |
| Danville                  | 46,671,742    | 49,540,645    | 57,774,037    | 60,950,487    |
| Kenbridge                 | 7,225,322     | 7,433,863     | 8,965,966     | 9,164,329     |
| Lawrenceville             | 8,090,535     | 8,726,957     | 10,270,500    | 11,225,521    |
| Martinsville              | 7,480,290     | 8,329,978     | 9,341,209     | 9,451,263     |
| Petersburg                | 5,619,108     | 6,196,337     | 8,370,581     | 8,397,594     |
| South Boston              | 21,265,255    | 22,551,640    | 25,103,789    | 27,273,152    |
| South Hill                | 10,054,897    | 11,053,390    | 12,934,047    | 13,569,512    |
| Total Virginia            | 131,712,427   | 139,411,151   | 163,704,235   | 171,936,789   |
| Total Area "E"            | 289,024,967   | 303,643,856   | 341,343,765   | 359,083,845   |
| Total Flue-Cured          | 1,265,330,880 | 1,309,395,054 | 1,470,599,954 | 1,526,543,839 |

1/ Growers allowed to designate 110 percent of their effective quota.

Table 3 Auction sales warehouse charges on flue-cured markets, 1977 crop.

| State          | Type  | Auction Fee <u>1/</u>  | Commission on Gross Sales <u>1/</u> | Additional Charges <u>1/</u>  |
|----------------|-------|--|-------------------------------------|---|
| Florida        | 14    | 15 cents on all piles of 100 pounds or less and 25 cents on all piles over 100 pounds. | <u>Percent</u><br>2½                | Weighing and handling, 10 cents per pile on all piles of 100 pounds or less, and 10 cents for each additional 100 pounds. |
| Georgia        | 14    |  | 2½                                  |   |
| North Carolina | 11-13 |  | 2½                                  |   |
| South Carolina | 13    |  | 2½                                  |   |
| Virginia       | 11    | 25 cents per pile.   | 2½                                  | Weighing, 10 cents per 100 pounds.  |

1/ Maximum permitted under State laws.

Table 4 Applicable loan level per pound, for flue-cured tobacco, 1954 to 1977 crops.

| Crop | Loan Level |
|------|------------|------|------------|------|------------|------|------------|
|      | (Cents)    |      | (Cents)    |      | (Cents)    |      | (Cents)    |
| 1954 | 47.9       | 1960 | 55.5       | 1966 | 58.8       | 1972 | 72.7       |
| 1955 | 48.3       | 1961 | 55.5       | 1967 | 59.9       | 1973 | 76.6       |
| 1956 | 48.9       | 1962 | 56.1       | 1968 | 61.6       | 1974 | 83.3       |
| 1957 | 50.8       | 1963 | 56.6       | 1969 | 63.8       | 1975 | 93.2       |
| 1958 | 54.6       | 1964 | 57.2       | 1970 | 66.6       | 1976 | 106.0      |
| 1959 | 55.5       | 1965 | 57.7       | 1971 | 69.4       | 1977 | 113.8      |

Table 5 Average weight per lot of flue-cured tobacco, 1965 to 1977

| CROP           | Type 11(a)         | Type 11(b)            | Type 12                   | Type 13                             | Type 14                        | Types 11 - 14            |
|----------------|--------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------|
|                | Old Belt<br>Pounds | Middle Belt<br>Pounds | Eastern<br>N.C.<br>Pounds | S. C. and<br>Border N. C.<br>Pounds | Georgia &<br>Florida<br>Pounds | All Flue-cured<br>Pounds |
| 1965           | 199                | 200                   | 199                       | 189                                 | 176                            | 193                      |
| 1966 <u>1/</u> | 156                | 163                   | 171                       | 154                                 | 157                            | 161                      |
| 1967           | 173                | 177                   | 176                       | 179                                 | 162                            | 173                      |
| 1968           | 158                | 153                   | 155                       | 168                                 | 160                            | 159                      |
| 1969           | 156                | 155                   | 153                       | 162                                 | 162                            | 157                      |
| 1970           | 156                | 157                   | 161                       | 166                                 | 168                            | 162                      |
| 1971           | 167                | 167                   | 167                       | 171                                 | 169                            | 168                      |
| 1972           | 164                | 171                   | 170                       | 172                                 | 167                            | 169                      |
| 1973           | 165                | 170                   | 169                       | 172                                 | 165                            | 168                      |
| CROP           | T Y P E 11         |                       | Type 12                   | Type 13                             | Type 14                        | Types 11 - 14            |
| 1974 <u>2/</u> | 183                |                       | 184                       | 186                                 | 192                            | 186                      |
| 1975           | 174                |                       | 179                       | 184                                 | 189                            | 180                      |
| 1976           | 178                |                       | 179                       | 180                                 | 189                            | 180                      |
| 1977           | 178                |                       | 175                       | 174                                 | 184                            | 177                      |

1/ Beginning in 1966 the maximum allowable pounds were reduced from 300 pounds to 200 pounds per pile.

2/ Beginning in 1974 the maximum allowable pounds were increased from 200 pounds to 250 pounds per pile.

Table 6 Rank of flue-cured markets, according to volume of producers' sales, by separate types, and by all types, 1977 marketing season. <sup>1/</sup>

| TYPE, MARKET, AND STATE | Sales :<br>Mil. Lbs. | Rank By:            |                | TYPE, MARKET, AND STATE | Sales :<br>Mil. Lbs. | Rank By:            |                |
|-------------------------|----------------------|---------------------|----------------|-------------------------|----------------------|---------------------|----------------|
|                         |                      | Separate :<br>Types | All :<br>Types |                         |                      | Separate :<br>Types | All :<br>Types |
| <u>TYPE 11</u>          |                      |                     |                | <u>TYPE 13</u>          |                      |                     |                |
| Danville, Va.           | 42.9                 | 1                   | 3              | Lake City, SC           | 31.8                 | 1                   | 6              |
| Winston-Salem, NC       | 40.3                 | 2                   | 4              | Mullins, SC             | 30.2                 | 2                   | 8              |
| Fuquay-Varina, NC       | 24.9                 | 3                   | 11             | Fairmont, NC            | 22.5                 | 3                   | 12             |
| South Boston, Va.       | 19.6                 | 4                   | 15             | Lumberton, NC           | 19.6                 | 4                   | 14             |
| Durham, NC              | 16.6                 | 5                   | 17             | Whiteville, NC          | 18.1                 | 5                   | 16             |
| Reidsville, NC          | 15.9                 | 6                   | 19             | Tabor City, NC          | 11.7                 | 6                   | 30             |
| Oxford, NC              | 15.6                 | 7                   | 21             | Conway, SC              | 11.2                 | 7                   | 31             |
| Henderson, NC           | 15.3                 | 8                   | 22             | Timmonsville, SC        | 10.3                 | 8                   | 35             |
| Roxboro, NC             | 15.2                 | 9                   | 23             | Loris, SC               | 10.1                 | 9                   | 37             |
| Sanford, NC             | 13.4                 | 10                  | 25             | Chadbourn, NC           | 9.9                  | 10                  | 39             |
| Mt. Airy, NC            | 11.8                 | 11                  | 29             | Hemingway, SC           | 8.9                  | 11                  | 45             |
| Carthage, NC            | 10.4                 | 12                  | 34             | Kingstree, SC           | 8.0                  | 12                  | 48             |
| South Hill, Va.         | 10.2                 | 13                  | 36             | Darlington, SC          | 7.9                  | 13                  | 50             |
| Stoneville, NC          | 10.1                 | 14                  | 38             | Pamplico, SC            | 6.7                  | 14                  | 60             |
| Brookneal, Va.          | 9.4                  | 15                  | 44             | Fair Bluff, NC          | 6.5                  | 15                  | 64             |
| Warrenton, NC           | 8.1                  | 16                  | 47             | Clarkton, NC            | 5.3                  | 16                  | 74             |
| Lawrenceville, Va.      | 8.0                  | 17                  | 49             | Dillon, SC              | 3.5                  | 17                  | 83             |
| Madison, NC             | 7.5                  | 18                  | 53             | Fayetteville, NC        | 3.3                  | 18                  | 84             |
| Louisburg, NC           | 7.4                  | 19                  | 54             | Lamar, SC               | 1.9                  | 19                  | 90             |
| Martinsville, Va.       | 7.1                  | 20                  | 56             |                         |                      |                     |                |
| Chase City, Va.         | 6.9                  | 21                  | 57             | <u>TYPE 14</u>          |                      |                     |                |
| Aberdeen, NC            | 6.9                  | 22                  | 58             | Douglas, Ga.            | 13.9                 | 1                   | 24             |
| Burlington, NC          | 6.6                  | 23                  | 63             | Moultrie, Ga.           | 12.7                 | 2                   | 27             |
| Kenbridge, Va.          | 6.4                  | 24                  | 65             | Nashville, Ga.          | 10.8                 | 3                   | 32             |
| Mebane, NC              | 6.2                  | 25                  | 66             | Live Oak, FL.           | 9.5                  | 4                   | 42             |
| Clarksville, Va.        | 5.9                  | 26                  | 68             | Tifton, Ga.             | 9.5                  | 5                   | 43             |
| Yadkinville, NC         | 5.7                  | 27                  | 69             | Blackshear, Ga.         | 8.5                  | 6                   | 46             |
| Petersburg, Va.         | 5.4                  | 28                  | 72             | Vidalia, Ga.            | 7.9                  | 7                   | 51             |
| Greensboro, NC          | 5.4                  | 29                  | 73             | Valdosta, Ga.           | 7.2                  | 8                   | 55             |
| Ellerbe, NC             | 1.7                  | 30                  | 91             | Statesboro, Ga.         | 6.8                  | 9                   | 59             |
|                         |                      |                     |                | Pelham, Ga.             | 6.6                  | 10                  | 62             |
| <u>TYPE 12</u>          |                      |                     |                | Adel, Ga.               | 6.1                  | 11                  | 67             |
| Wilson, NC              | 76.9                 | 1                   | 1              | Claxton, Ga.            | 5.5                  | 12                  | 70             |
| Kinston, NC             | 45.4                 | 2                   | 2              | Baxley, Ga.             | 5.3                  | 13                  | 75             |
| Greenville, NC          | 39.2                 | 3                   | 5              | Fitzgerald, Ga.         | 5.1                  | 14                  | 76             |
| Rocky Mount, NC         | 30.3                 | 4                   | 7              | Alma, Ga.               | 5.0                  | 15                  | 77             |
| Goldsboro, NC           | 25.4                 | 5                   | 9              | Metter, Ga.             | 5.0                  | 16                  | 78             |
| Farmville, NC           | 25.0                 | 6                   | 10             | Waycross, Ga.           | 4.5                  | 17                  | 79             |
| Smithfield, NC          | 21.8                 | 7                   | 13             | Hahira, Ga.             | 4.2                  | 18                  | 80             |
| Clinton, NC             | 16.0                 | 8                   | 18             | Lake City, FL.          | 4.2                  | 19                  | 81             |
| Dunn, NC                | 15.6                 | 9                   | 20             | Hazlehurst, Ga.         | 4.1                  | 20                  | 82             |
| Wallace, NC             | 13.1                 | 10                  | 26             | Jasper, FL.             | 3.1                  | 21                  | 85             |
| Wendell, NC             | 11.9                 | 11                  | 28             | High Springs, FL.       | 2.9                  | 22                  | 86             |
| Williamston, NC         | 10.6                 | 12                  | 33             | Madison, FL.            | 2.4                  | 23                  | 87             |
| Washington, NC          | 9.8                  | 13                  | 40             | Thomasville, Ga.        | 2.3                  | 24                  | 88             |
| Windsor, NC             | 9.6                  | 14                  | 41             | Quitman, Ga.            | 1.9                  | 25                  | 89             |
| Ahoskie, NC             | 7.8                  | 15                  | 52             | Pearson, Ga.            | 1.2                  | 26                  | 92             |
| Robersonville, NC       | 6.7                  | 16                  | 61             | Sylveste, Ga.           | .2                   | 27                  | 93             |
| Tarboro, NC             | 5.5                  | 17                  | 71             |                         |                      |                     |                |

<sup>1/</sup> In instances where producers' sales of two or more markets when rounded to million pounds were identical, rank was determined from sales on an exact poundage basis.

Table 7 Opening and closing dates of marketing season, sales floors of tobacco sold at auction in the United States, by types, states, and markets, 1977 and 1976 crops.

| TYPE 11 - OLD AND MIDDLE BELT FLUE-CURED    |         |                  |                  |               |                 |                  |                  |               |                 |
|---|---------|------------------|------------------|---------------|-----------------|------------------|------------------|---------------|-----------------|
| States and Markets                          | Markets | 1977             |                  |               |                 | 1976             |                  |               |                 |
|   |         | Opening<br>Dates | Closing<br>Dates | Sales<br>Days | Sales<br>Floors | Opening<br>Dates | Closing<br>Dates | Sales<br>Days | Sales<br>Floors |
|   | Number  |                  |                  | Number        | Number          |                  |                  | Number        | Number          |
| Virginia:                                   |         |                  |                  |               |                 |                  |                  |               |                 |
| Brookneal                                   |         | Aug. 9           | Nov. 15          | 33            | 4               | Aug. 3           | Nov. 22          | 37            | 4               |
| Chase City                                  |         | Aug. 9           | Nov. 16          | 24            | 4               | Aug. 3           | Nov. 17          | 28            | 4               |
| Clarksville                                 |         | Aug. 10          | Nov. 16          | 19            | 3               | Aug. 4           | Nov. 17          | 22            | 3               |
| Danville                                    |         | Aug. 9           | Dec. 9           | 58            | 9               | Aug. 3           | Nov. 23          | 61            | 8               |
| Kenbridge                                   |         | Aug. 10          | Nov. 14          | 23            | 4               | Aug. 4           | Nov. 16          | 26            | 4               |
| Lawrenceville                               |         | Aug. 10          | Nov. 16          | 26            | 3               | Aug. 4           | Nov. 17          | 31            | 3               |
| Martinsville                                |         | Aug. 10          | Nov. 16          | 23            | 2               | Aug. 4           | Nov. 15          | 27            | 2               |
| Petersburg                                  |         | Aug. 11          | Nov. 14          | 20            | 5               | Aug. 5           | Nov. 16          | 24            | 4               |
| South Boston                                |         | Aug. 9           | Nov. 22          | 55            | 10              | Aug. 3           | Nov. 24          | 60            | 9               |
| South Hill                                  |         | Aug. 9           | Nov. 17          | 31            | 4               | Aug. 3           | Nov. 18          | 35            | 4               |
| Total                                       | 10      |                  |                  |               | 48              |                  |                  |               | 45              |
| North Carolina:                             |         |                  |                  |               |                 |                  |                  |               |                 |
| Aberdeen                                    |         | Jul. 26          | Nov. 3           | 25            | 3               | Jul. 21          | Oct. 27          | 20            | 3               |
| Burlington                                  |         | Aug. 10          | Nov. 14          | 21            | 3               | Aug. 4           | Nov. 11          | 24            | 3               |
| Carthage                                    |         | Jul. 25          | Oct. 31          | 36            | 4               | Jul. 20          | Oct. 28          | 36            | 5               |
| Durham                                      |         | Aug. 2           | Nov. 14          | 57            | 5               | Jul. 27          | Nov. 4           | 56            | 5               |
| Ellerbe                                     |         | Aug. 2           | Oct. 26          | 7             | 3               | Jul. 26          | Oct. 26          | 11            | 3               |
| Fuquay-Varina                               |         | Jul. 25          | Nov. 8           | 58            | 8               | Jul. 20          | Nov. 3           | 58            | 6               |
| Greensboro                                  |         | Aug. 9           | Nov. 10          | 21            | 2               | Aug. 5           | Nov. 4           | 19            | 2               |
| Henderson                                   |         | Aug. 2           | Nov. 15          | 58            | 7               | Jul. 27          | Nov. 17          | 62            | 7               |
| Louisburg                                   |         | Aug. 2           | Nov. 14          | 29            | 3               | Jul. 28          | Nov. 11          | 32            | 4               |
| Madison                                     |         | Aug. 10          | Nov. 14          | 31            | 3               | Aug. 4           | Nov. 11          | 29            | 3               |
| Mebane                                      |         | Aug. 10          | Nov. 9           | 19            | 2               | Aug. 4           | Nov. 10          | 31            | 2               |
| Mt. Airy                                    |         | Aug. 10          | Nov. 17          | 44            | 5               | Aug. 3           | Nov. 16          | 40            | 5               |
| Oxford                                      |         | Aug. 2           | Nov. 21          | 58            | 6               | Jul. 27          | Nov. 16          | 62            | 7               |
| Reidsville                                  |         | Aug. 9           | Nov. 14          | 53            | 4               | Aug. 3           | Nov. 9           | 52            | 3               |
| Roxboro                                     |         | Aug. 9           | Nov. 15          | 46            | 6               | Aug. 3           | Nov. 16          | 56            | 6               |
| Sanford                                     |         | Jul. 25          | Nov. 3           | 43            | 4               | Jul. 20          | Nov. 1           | 43            | 4               |
| Stoneville                                  |         | Aug. 9           | Nov. 14          | 40            | 3               | Aug. 3           | Nov. 11          | 46            | 2               |
| Warrenton                                   |         | Aug. 3           | Nov. 14          | 29            | 7               | Jul. 27          | Nov. 15          | 39            | 5               |
| Winston-Salem                               |         | Aug. 9           | Nov. 28          | 56            | 8               | Aug. 3           | Nov. 23          | 57            | 7               |
| Yadkinville                                 |         | Aug. 9           | Nov. 10          | 25            | 5               | Aug. 4           | Nov. 4           | 25            | 5               |
| Total                                       | 20      |                  |                  |               | 91              |                  |                  |               | 87              |
| Total Type 11                               | 30      |                  |                  |               | 139             |                  |                  |               | 132             |
| TYPE 12 - EASTERN NORTH CAROLINA FLUE-CURED |         |                  |                  |               |                 |                  |                  |               |                 |
| North Carolina:                             |         |                  |                  |               |                 |                  |                  |               |                 |
| Ahoskie                                     |         | Jul. 26          | Oct. 31          | 26            | 2               | Jul. 21          | Nov. 9           | 36            | 2               |
| Clinton                                     |         | Jul. 25          | Oct. 27          | 51            | 6               | Jul. 20          | Nov. 4           | 55            | 5               |
| Dunn  |         | Jul. 26          | Nov. 1           | 43            | 5               | Jul. 20          | Nov. 3           | 53            | 4               |
| Farmville                                   |         | Jul. 25          | Oct. 25          | 51            | 8               | Jul. 20          | Nov. 9           | 62            | 8               |
| Goldsboro                                   |         | Jul. 25          | Oct. 26          | 52            | 9               | Jul. 20          | Nov. 10          | 63            | 9               |
| Greenville                                  |         | Jul. 25          | Oct. 20          | 50            | 10              | Jul. 20          | Nov. 9           | 62            | 10              |
| Kinston                                     |         | Jul. 25          | Oct. 26          | 52            | 8               | Jul. 20          | Nov. 4           | 60            | 9               |
| Robersonville                               |         | Jul. 26          | Oct. 25          | 24            | 4               | Jul. 21          | Nov. 4           | 32            | 5               |
| Rocky Mount                                 |         | Jul. 25          | Nov. 9           | 59            | 8               | Jul. 20          | Nov. 9           | 62            | 8               |
| Smithfield                                  |         | Jul. 25          | Nov. 3           | 57            | 6               | Jul. 20          | Nov. 3           | 59            | 6               |
| Tarboro                                     |         | Jul. 27          | Oct. 26          | 17            | 5               | Jul. 22          | Nov. 8           | 28            | 5               |
| Wallace                                     |         | Jul. 25          | Oct. 31          | 40            | 4               | Jul. 21          | Oct. 28          | 43            | 5               |
| Washington                                  |         | Jul. 26          | Oct. 20          | 31            | 4               | Jul. 20          | Oct. 28          | 38            | 4               |
| Wendell                                     |         | Jul. 25          | Oct. 31          | 40            | 7               | Jul. 20          | Nov. 2           | 38            | 7               |
| Williamston                                 |         | Jul. 25          | Oct. 19          | 29            | 4               | Jul. 20          | Nov. 8           | 40            | 4               |
| Wilson                                      |         | Jul. 25          | Nov. 3           | 57            | 18              | Jul. 20          | Nov. 15          | 65            | 16              |
| Windsor                                     |         | Jul. 25          | Oct. 25          | 26            | 3               | Jul. 21          | Nov. 3           | 33            | 3               |
| Total Type 12                               | 17      |                  |                  |               | 111             |                  |                  |               | 110             |

Table 7 Opening and closing dates of marketing season, sales floors of tobacco sold at auction in the United States, by types, states, and markets, 1977 and 1976 crops.

| TYPE 13 - SOUTH CAROLINA AND BORDER NORTH CAROLINA FLUE-CURED |         |                  |                    |                 |                   |                  |                    |                 |                   |
|---|---------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| States and Markets  | 1977    |                  |                    |                 |                   | 1976             |                    |                 |                   |
|   | Markets | Opening<br>Dates | Closing<br>: Dates | Sales<br>: Days | Sales<br>: Floors | Opening<br>Dates | Closing<br>: Dates | Sales<br>: Days | Sales<br>: Floors |
|   | Number  |                  |                    | Number          | Number            |                  |                    | Number          | Number            |
| South Carolina:   |         |                  |                    |                 |                   |                  |                    |                 |                   |
| Conway  |         | Jul. 19          | Oct. 13            | 40              | 4                 | Jul. 13          | Oct. 12            | 35              | 4                 |
| Darlington  |         | Jul. 19          | Oct. 25            | 30              | 4                 | Jul. 13          | Oct. 7             | 24              | 4                 |
| Dillon  |         | Jul. 20          | Oct. 17            | 14              | 3                 | Jul. 14          | Oct. 14            | 16              | 3                 |
| Hemingway   |         | Jul. 19          | Oct. 17            | 34              | 3                 | Jul. 13          | Oct. 13            | 28              | 3                 |
| Kingstree   |         | Jul. 19          | Oct. 13            | 26              | 5                 | Jul. 13          | Oct. 12            | 25              | 5                 |
| Lake City   |         | Jul. 19          | Oct. 18            | 51              | 7                 | Jul. 13          | Oct. 14            | 53              | 7                 |
| Lamar   |         | Jul. 21          | Oct. 18            | 7               | 2                 | Jul. 15          | Oct. 6             | 8               | 2                 |
| Loris   |         | Jul. 19          | Oct. 12            | 37              | 3                 | Jul. 13          | Oct. 13            | 34              | 3                 |
| Mullins   |         | Jul. 19          | Oct. 17            | 50              | 9                 | Jul. 13          | Oct. 14            | 53              | 12                |
| Pamlico   |         | Jul. 20          | Oct. 19            | 25              | 4                 | Jul. 14          | Oct. 13            | 24              | 4                 |
| Timmons ville   |         | Jul. 19          | Oct. 19            | 37              | 3                 | Jul. 13          | Oct. 6             | 37              | 3                 |
| Total   | 11      |                  |                    |                 | 47                |                  |                    |                 | 50                |
| North Carolina:   |         |                  |                    |                 |                   |                  |                    |                 |                   |
| Chadbourn   |         | Jul. 19          | Oct. 19            | 34              | 3                 | Jul. 13          | Oct. 20            | 30              | 3                 |
| Clarkton  |         | Jul. 19          | Oct. 20            | 19              | 3                 | Jul. 14          | Oct. 19            | 20              | 3                 |
| Fair Bluff  |         | Jul. 19          | Oct. 13            | 22              | 5                 | Jul. 13          | Oct. 12            | 20              | 3                 |
| Fairmont  |         | Jul. 19          | Oct. 17            | 50              | 10                | Jul. 13          | Oct. 21            | 57              | 10                |
| Fayetteville  |         | Jul. 28          | Oct. 20            | 12              | 2                 | Jul. 26          | Oct. 26            | 14              | 2                 |
| Lumberton   |         | Jul. 19          | Oct. 20            | 51              | 8                 | Jul. 13          | Oct. 20            | 56              | 7                 |
| Tabor City  |         | Jul. 19          | Oct. 19            | 39              | 3                 | Jul. 13          | Oct. 13            | 36              | 3                 |
| Whiteville  |         | Jul. 19          | Oct. 19            | 52              | 8                 | Jul. 13          | Oct. 14            | 53              | 8                 |
| Total   | 8       |                  |                    |                 | 42                |                  |                    |                 | 39                |
| Total Type 13   | 19      |                  |                    |                 | 89                |                  |                    |                 | 89                |

| TYPE 14 - GEORGIA AND FLORIDA FLUE-CURED |    |         |         |    |     |         |         |    |     |
|--|----|---------|---------|----|-----|---------|---------|----|-----|
| Georgia:                                 |    |         |         |    |     |         |         |    |     |
| Adel                                     |    | Jul. 13 | Sep. 27 | 21 | 4   | Jul. 8  | Sep. 1  | 18 | 4   |
| Alma                                     |    | Jul. 13 | Sep. 29 | 18 | 5   | Jul. 8  | Aug. 31 | 13 | 4   |
| Baxley                                   |    | Jul. 13 | Sep. 28 | 18 | 5   | Jul. 8  | Sep. 2  | 15 | 2   |
| Blackshear                               |    | Jul. 13 | Oct. 3  | 29 | 5   | Jul. 8  | Sep. 2  | 23 | 6   |
| Claxton                                  |    | Jul. 14 | Oct. 5  | 20 | 3   | Jul. 9  | Sep. 1  | 14 | 3   |
| Douglas                                  |    | Jul. 13 | Oct. 6  | 41 | 5   | Jul. 8  | Sep. 8  | 32 | 4   |
| Fitzgerald                               |    | Jul. 13 | Sep. 28 | 16 | 2   | Jul. 8  | Sep. 7  | 16 | 2   |
| Hahira                                   |    | Jul. 13 | Sep. 27 | 17 | 4   | Jul. 8  | Aug. 30 | 12 | 4   |
| Hazlehurst                               |    | Jul. 14 | Sep. 28 | 15 | 3   | Jul. 9  | Sep. 8  | 12 | 2   |
| Metter                                   |    | Jul. 13 | Oct. 5  | 20 | 2   | Jul. 8  | Sep. 9  | 18 | 2   |
| Moultrie                                 |    | Jul. 13 | Sep. 29 | 38 | 5   | Jul. 8  | Sep. 9  | 32 | 5   |
| Nashville                                |    | Jul. 13 | Sep. 29 | 34 | 5   | Jul. 8  | Sep. 1  | 27 | 5   |
| Pearson                                  |    | Jul. 18 | Sep. 28 | 5  | 1   | Jul. 9  | Aug. 18 | 6  | 1   |
| Pelham                                   |    | Jul. 13 | Sep. 28 | 26 | 2   | Jul. 8  | Sep. 8  | 23 | 2   |
| Quitman                                  |    | Jul. 14 | Sep. 21 | 8  | 2   | Jul. 9  | Sep. 2  | 7  | 3   |
| Statesboro                               |    | Jul. 13 | Oct. 5  | 25 | 6   | Jul. 8  | Sep. 9  | 20 | 6   |
| Sylvester                                |    | Jul. 26 | Sep. 15 | 2  | 1   | Jul. 15 | Aug. 31 | 3  | 2   |
| Thomasville                              |    | Jul. 13 | Sep. 22 | 10 | 1   | Jul. 9  | Sep. 7  | 13 | 2   |
| Tifton                                   |    | Jul. 13 | Sep. 29 | 33 | 4   | Jul. 8  | Sep. 2  | 24 | 5   |
| Valdosta                                 |    | Jul. 13 | Sep. 28 | 26 | 3   | Jul. 8  | Aug. 31 | 17 | 2   |
| Vidalia                                  |    | Jul. 13 | Sep. 29 | 27 | 5   | Jul. 8  | Sep. 9  | 26 | 4   |
| Waycross                                 |    | Jul. 14 | Oct. 3  | 17 | 2   | Jul. 9  | Sep. 1  | 13 | 3   |
| Total                                    | 22 |         |         |    | 75  |         |         |    | 73  |
| Florida:                                 |    |         |         |    |     |         |         |    |     |
| High Springs                             |    | Jul. 14 | Sep. 13 | 11 | 3   | Jul. 9  | Sep. 8  | 12 | 3   |
| Jasper                                   |    | Jul. 15 | Sep. 8  | 9  | 3   | Jul. 8  | Sep. 9  | 14 | 3   |
| Lake City                                |    | Jul. 13 | Sep. 20 | 16 | 3   | Jul. 8  | Sep. 8  | 17 | 3   |
| Live Oak                                 |    | Jul. 13 | Sep. 19 | 28 | 6   | Jul. 8  | Sep. 2  | 30 | 5   |
| Madison                                  |    | Jul. 14 | Sep. 19 | 9  | 2   | Jul. 9  | Sep. 2  | 9  | 2   |
| Total                                    | 5  |         |         |    | 17  |         |         |    | 16  |
| Total Type 14                            | 27 |         |         |    | 92  |         |         |    | 89  |
| Total 11-14                              | 93 |         |         |    | 431 |         |         |    | 420 |

Table 8 Producers' sales, value, and average price, by types for flue-cured tobacco, crops of 1960 to 1977. 1/

| TYPE 11 - OLD AND MIDDLE BELT |               |             |               |         |               |             |               |  |
|-------------------------------|---------------|-------------|---------------|---------|---------------|-------------|---------------|--|
| Crop2/                        | Sales         | Value       | Average Price | Crop    | Sales         | Value       | Average Price |  |
|                               | Pounds        | Dollars     | Dollars       |         | Pounds        | Dollars     | Dollars       |  |
| 1960                          | : 391,390,676 | 234,985,758 | 60.04         | :: 1973 | : 364,793,838 | 322,153,793 | 88.31         |  |
| 1961                          | : 392,952,967 | 251,489,769 | 64.00         | :: 1974 | : 366,332,632 | 388,549,989 | 106.06        |  |
| 1962                          | : 463,117,209 | 280,970,280 | 60.67         | :: 1975 | : 400,832,258 | 394,336,519 | 98.38         |  |
| 1963                          | : 446,551,784 | 250,533,205 | 56.10         | :: 1976 | : 434,999,525 | 465,350,359 | 106.98        |  |
| 1964                          | : 491,855,929 | 291,250,930 | 59.21         | :: 1977 | : 366,808,557 | 417,330,219 | 113.77        |  |
| 1965                          | : 330,231,162 | 212,495,742 | 64.35         | :: 1978 | :             |             |               |  |
| 1966                          | : 398,904,857 | 251,750,791 | 63.11         | :: 1979 | :             |             |               |  |
| 1967                          | : 393,415,249 | 244,672,123 | 62.19         | :: 1980 | :             |             |               |  |
| 1968                          | : 298,666,040 | 192,868,276 | 64.58         | :: 1981 | :             |             |               |  |
| 1969                          | : 336,016,733 | 240,149,054 | 71.47         | :: 1982 | :             |             |               |  |
| 1970                          | : 346,754,284 | 243,340,263 | 70.18         | :: 1983 | :             |             |               |  |
| 1971                          | : 324,242,019 | 250,882,054 | 77.37         | :: 1984 | :             |             |               |  |
| 1972                          | : 296,606,461 | 246,802,437 | 83.21         | :: 1985 | :             |             |               |  |

| TYPE 12 - EASTERN NORTH CAROLINA |               |             |               |         |               |             |               |  |
|----------------------------------|---------------|-------------|---------------|---------|---------------|-------------|---------------|--|
| Crop                             | Sales         | Value       | Average Price | Crop    | Sales         | Value       | Average Price |  |
|                                  | Pounds        | Dollars     | Dollars       |         | Pounds        | Dollars     | Dollars       |  |
| 1960                             | : 409,980,457 | 251,077,871 | 61.24         | :: 1973 | : 379,505,519 | 337,751,016 | 89.00         |  |
| 1961                             | : 386,055,705 | 252,729,976 | 65.46         | :: 1974 | : 407,007,009 | 431,331,721 | 105.98        |  |
| 1962                             | : 400,129,062 | 239,716,394 | 59.91         | :: 1975 | : 506,560,874 | 512,413,345 | 101.16        |  |
| 1963                             | : 421,882,034 | 247,680,810 | 58.71         | :: 1976 | : 461,764,674 | 521,621,734 | 112.96        |  |
| 1964                             | : 420,093,250 | 238,216,548 | 56.71         | :: 1977 | : 370,468,041 | 439,097,186 | 118.52        |  |
| 1965                             | : 296,024,450 | 187,386,497 | 63.30         | :: 1978 | :             |             |               |  |
| 1966                             | : 328,736,141 | 225,475,919 | 68.59         | :: 1979 | :             |             |               |  |
| 1967                             | : 346,319,605 | 224,636,700 | 64.86         | :: 1980 | :             |             |               |  |
| 1968                             | : 287,009,702 | 194,193,390 | 67.66         | :: 1981 | :             |             |               |  |
| 1969                             | : 313,143,261 | 226,984,176 | 72.49         | :: 1982 | :             |             |               |  |
| 1970                             | : 358,241,279 | 260,897,452 | 72.83         | :: 1983 | :             |             |               |  |
| 1971                             | : 316,362,168 | 248,454,294 | 78.53         | :: 1984 | :             |             |               |  |
| 1972                             | : 316,441,050 | 276,394,101 | 87.34         | :: 1985 | :             |             |               |  |

| TYPE 13 - SOUTH CAROLINA AND BORDER NORTH CAROLINA |               |             |               |         |               |             |               |  |
|--|---------------|-------------|---------------|---------|---------------|-------------|---------------|--|
| Crop   | Sales         | Value       | Average Price | Crop    | Sales         | Value       | Average Price |  |
|  | Pounds        | Dollars     | Dollars       |         | Pounds        | Dollars     | Dollars       |  |
| 1960   | : 279,815,114 | 173,750,806 | 62.09         | :: 1973 | : 263,221,379 | 228,552,101 | 86.83         |  |
| 1961   | : 293,312,117 | 193,527,949 | 65.98         | :: 1974 | : 277,759,577 | 288,606,699 | 103.91        |  |
| 1962   | : 346,750,719 | 212,610,306 | 61.32         | :: 1975 | : 321,370,317 | 320,557,161 | 99.74         |  |
| 1963   | : 313,733,079 | 189,298,356 | 60.34         | :: 1976 | : 261,101,557 | 293,115,049 | 112.26        |  |
| 1964   | : 309,172,100 | 184,425,734 | 59.65         | :: 1977 | : 227,599,029 | 282,038,620 | 123.92        |  |
| 1965   | : 277,010,241 | 181,633,946 | 65.57         | :: 1978 | :             |             |               |  |
| 1966   | : 223,674,943 | 154,388,218 | 69.02         | :: 1979 | :             |             |               |  |
| 1967   | : 300,851,081 | 195,583,110 | 65.01         | :: 1980 | :             |             |               |  |
| 1968   | : 255,973,622 | 171,150,530 | 66.86         | :: 1981 | :             |             |               |  |
| 1969   | : 254,827,602 | 185,412,983 | 72.76         | :: 1982 | :             |             |               |  |
| 1970   | : 282,105,816 | 202,496,606 | 71.78         | :: 1983 | :             |             |               |  |
| 1971   | : 259,089,401 | 196,309,798 | 75.77         | :: 1984 | :             |             |               |  |
| 1972   | : 242,317,459 | 206,781,771 | 85.34         | :: 1985 | :             |             |               |  |

| TYPE 14 - GEORGIA AND FLORIDA |               |             |               |         |               |             |               |  |
|-------------------------------|---------------|-------------|---------------|---------|---------------|-------------|---------------|--|
| Crop                          | Sales         | Value       | Average Price | Crop    | Sales         | Value       | Average Price |  |
|                               | Pounds        | Dollars     | Dollars       |         | Pounds        | Dollars     | Dollars       |  |
| 1960                          | : 166,037,115 | 94,438,724  | 56.88         | :: 1973 | : 147,380,111 | 129,325,426 | 87.75         |  |
| 1961                          | : 176,610,768 | 104,595,980 | 59.22         | :: 1974 | : 188,993,215 | 194,378,265 | 102.85        |  |
| 1962                          | : 190,308,873 | 107,869,014 | 56.68         | :: 1975 | : 181,844,805 | 181,893,846 | 100.03        |  |
| 1963                          | : 182,008,168 | 104,320,747 | 57.32         | :: 1976 | : 155,051,397 | 170,813,390 | 110.17        |  |
| 1964                          | : 157,770,918 | 93,055,511  | 58.98         | :: 1977 | : 156,528,836 | 181,232,258 | 115.78        |  |
| 1965                          | : 155,051,918 | 102,638,782 | 66.20         | :: 1978 | :             |             |               |  |
| 1966                          | : 155,004,127 | 108,526,147 | 70.01         | :: 1979 | :             |             |               |  |
| 1967                          | : 206,896,521 | 135,655,587 | 65.57         | :: 1980 | :             |             |               |  |
| 1968                          | : 153,995,962 | 105,286,821 | 68.37         | :: 1981 | :             |             |               |  |
| 1969                          | : 146,715,739 | 107,683,665 | 73.40         | :: 1982 | :             |             |               |  |
| 1970                          | : 190,998,985 | 141,975,628 | 74.33         | :: 1983 | :             |             |               |  |
| 1971                          | : 174,622,082 | 134,200,109 | 76.85         | :: 1984 | :             |             |               |  |
| 1972                          | : 160,209,770 | 136,904,729 | 85.45         | :: 1985 | :             |             |               |  |

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Table 8 Producers' sales, value, and average price, by types, for flue-cured tobacco, crops of 1960 to 1977. 1/

| TYPES 11-14 - TOTAL FLUE-CURED |                |             |               |      |        |                |               |        |
|--------------------------------|----------------|-------------|---------------|------|--------|----------------|---------------|--------|
| Crop <sup>2/</sup>             | Sales          | Value       | Average Price | Crop | Sales  | Value          | Average Price | Crop   |
|                                | Pounds         | Dollars     | Dollars       |      | Pounds | Dollars        | Dollars       |        |
| 1960                           | :1,247,223,362 | 754,253,159 | 60.47         | ::   | 1973   | :1,154,900,847 | 1,017,731,649 | 88.13  |
| 1961                           | :1,248,931,557 | 802,343,674 | 64.24         | ::   | 1974   | :1,240,092,433 | 1,302,866,674 | 105.06 |
| 1962                           | :1,400,305,863 | 841,165,994 | 60.07         | ::   | 1975   | :1,410,608,254 | 1,409,200,871 | 99.90  |
| 1963                           | :1,364,175,065 | 791,833,118 | 58.04         | ::   | 1976   | :1,312,917,153 | 1,450,900,532 | 110.51 |
| 1964                           | :1,378,892,197 | 806,948,723 | 58.52         | ::   | 1977   | :1,121,404,463 | 1,319,698,283 | 117.68 |
| 1965                           | :1,058,317,771 | 684,154,967 | 64.65         | ::   | 1978   | :              |               |        |
| 1966                           | :1,106,320,068 | 740,141,075 | 66.90         | ::   | 1979   | :              |               |        |
| 1967                           | :1,247,482,456 | 800,547,520 | 54.17         | ::   | 1980   | :              |               |        |
| 1968                           | : 995,645,366  | 663,499,017 | 66.64         | ::   | 1981   | :              |               |        |
| 1969                           | :1,050,703,335 | 760,229,878 | 72.35         | ::   | 1982   | :              |               |        |
| 1970                           | :1,178,100,364 | 848,709,949 | 72.04         | ::   | 1983   | :              |               |        |
| 1971                           | :1,074,315,670 | 829,846,255 | 77.24         | ::   | 1984   | :              |               |        |
| 1972                           | :1,015,574,740 | 866,967,750 | 85.37         | ::   | 1985   | :              |               |        |

1/ Auction sales only. Does not include carry-over tobacco, nonauction sales, or direct deliveries.

2/ Data for years prior to 1960 may be found in the 1975 and earlier issues of the Market Review.

Table 9 GROSS sales, value, and average price; and resales, average price, and percentage of gross sales, BY TYPES, for flue-cured tobacco, crops of 1960 to 1977.

| TYPE 11 - OLD AND MIDDLE BELT |               |             |               |            |         |               |                           |
|-------------------------------|---------------|-------------|---------------|------------|---------|---------------|---------------------------|
| Crop <sup>1/</sup>            | Gross         |             |               | Resales    | Resales |               |                           |
|                               | Sales         | Value       | Average Price |            | Resales | Average Price | Percentage of Gross Sales |
|                               | Pounds        | Dollars     | Dollars       | Pounds     | Dollars | Percent       |                           |
| 1960                          | : 432,349,697 | 257,131,754 | 59.47         | 40,959,021 | 54.07   | 9.5           |                           |
| 1961                          | : 433,878,788 | 275,423,386 | 63.48         | 40,925,821 | 58.48   | 9.4           |                           |
| 1962                          | : 495,863,703 | 299,344,255 | 60.37         | 32,746,494 | 56.11   | 6.6           |                           |
| 1963                          | : 473,852,962 | 264,826,650 | 55.89         | 27,301,178 | 52.36   | 5.8           |                           |
| 1964                          | : 523,307,103 | 308,020,265 | 58.86         | 31,451,174 | 53.32   | 6.0           |                           |
| 1965                          | : 358,797,333 | 230,198,262 | 64.16         | 28,566,171 | 61.97   | 8.0           |                           |
| 1966                          | : 428,199,368 | 269,577,052 | 62.96         | 29,294,511 | 60.85   | 6.8           |                           |
| 1967                          | : 411,759,045 | 255,987,675 | 62.17         | 18,343,796 | 61.69   | 4.5           |                           |
| 1968                          | : 312,370,579 | 201,535,932 | 64.52         | 13,704,539 | 63.25   | 4.4           |                           |
| 1969                          | : 351,272,390 | 250,588,672 | 71.34         | 15,255,657 | 68.43   | 4.3           |                           |
| 1970                          | : 360,372,223 | 252,474,693 | 70.06         | 13,617,939 | 67.08   | 3.8           |                           |
| 1971                          | : 334,280,998 | 258,428,522 | 77.31         | 10,038,979 | 75.17   | 3.0           |                           |
| 1972                          | : 309,630,570 | 257,523,240 | 83.17         | 13,024,109 | 81.67   | 4.2           |                           |
| 1973                          | : 372,877,235 | 328,896,674 | 88.21         | 8,083,397  | 85.59   | 2.2           |                           |
| 1974                          | : 383,300,378 | 406,140,228 | 105.96        | 16,967,746 | 103.67  | 4.4           |                           |
| 1975                          | : 417,535,807 | 410,987,195 | 98.43         | 16,703,549 | 96.56   | 4.0           |                           |
| 1976                          | : 452,830,681 | 485,203,903 | 107.15        | 17,831,156 | 111.34  | 3.9           |                           |
| 1977                          | : 385,256,228 | 439,235,153 | 114.01        | 18,447,671 | 118.74  | 4.8           |                           |
| 1978                          | :             |             |               |            |         |               |                           |
| 1979                          | :             |             |               |            |         |               |                           |
| 1980                          | :             |             |               |            |         |               |                           |
| 1981                          | :             |             |               |            |         |               |                           |
| 1982                          | :             |             |               |            |         |               |                           |
| 1983                          | :             |             |               |            |         |               |                           |
| 1984                          | :             |             |               |            |         |               |                           |
| 1985                          | :             |             |               |            |         |               |                           |

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Table 9 Gross sales, value, and average price; and resales, average price, and percentage of gross sales, by types, for flue-cured tobacco, crops 1960 to 1977.

| TYPE 12 - EASTERN NORTH CAROLINA |             |             |               |            |               |                           |
|----------------------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------|------------|---------------|---------------------------|
| Crop/                            | Gross       |             |               | Resales    |               |                           |
|                                  | Sales       | Value       | Average Price | Resales    | Average Price | Percentage of Gross Sales |
|                                  | Pounds      | Dollars     | Dollars       | Pounds     | Dollars       | Percent                   |
| 1960                             | 443,849,883 | 269,234,668 | 60.66         | 33,869,426 | 53.61         | 7.6                       |
| 1961                             | 414,387,518 | 269,117,638 | 64.94         | 28,331,813 | 57.84         | 6.8                       |
| 1962                             | 426,197,628 | 253,383,812 | 59.45         | 26,068,566 | 52.43         | 6.1                       |
| 1963                             | 447,810,344 | 260,597,473 | 58.19         | 25,928,310 | 49.82         | 5.8                       |
| 1964                             | 439,070,156 | 247,127,905 | 56.28         | 18,976,906 | 46.96         | 4.3                       |
| 1965                             | 313,961,096 | 197,754,494 | 62.99         | 17,936,646 | 57.80         | 5.7                       |
| 1966                             | 348,628,637 | 238,216,849 | 68.33         | 19,892,496 | 64.05         | 5.7                       |
| 1967                             | 359,468,542 | 232,513,716 | 64.68         | 13,148,397 | 59.91         | 3.7                       |
| 1968                             | 294,991,827 | 199,000,456 | 67.46         | 7,982,125  | 60.22         | 2.7                       |
| 1969                             | 320,845,503 | 232,056,675 | 72.33         | 7,702,242  | 65.86         | 2.4                       |
| 1970                             | 367,241,196 | 266,931,243 | 72.68         | 8,999,917  | 67.04         | 2.4                       |
| 1971                             | 322,519,226 | 253,011,308 | 78.45         | 6,157,058  | 74.01         | 1.9                       |
| 1972                             | 323,202,625 | 281,927,439 | 87.23         | 6,761,575  | 81.84         | 2.1                       |
| 1973                             | 384,981,707 | 342,430,123 | 88.95         | 5,476,188  | 85.44         | 1.4                       |
| 1974                             | 419,898,578 | 444,697,425 | 105.91        | 12,891,569 | 103.68        | 3.1                       |
| 1975                             | 523,294,455 | 529,244,007 | 101.14        | 16,733,581 | 100.58        | 3.2                       |
| 1976                             | 480,139,814 | 542,638,536 | 113.02        | 18,375,140 | 114.38        | 3.8                       |
| 1977                             | 388,914,382 | 461,020,721 | 118.54        | 18,446,341 | 118.85        | 4.7                       |
| 1978                             |             |             |               |            |               |                           |
| 1979                             |             |             |               |            |               |                           |
| 1980                             |             |             |               |            |               |                           |
| 1981                             |             |             |               |            |               |                           |
| 1982                             |             |             |               |            |               |                           |
| 1983                             |             |             |               |            |               |                           |
| 1984                             |             |             |               |            |               |                           |
| 1985                             |             |             |               |            |               |                           |

| TYPE 13 - SOUTH CAROLINA AND BORDER NORTH CAROLINA |             |             |        |            |        |     |
|--|-------------|-------------|--------|------------|--------|-----|
| 1960   | 310,723,428 | 190,734,738 | 61.38  | 30,908,314 | 54.95  | 9.9 |
| 1961   | 324,548,716 | 212,215,581 | 65.39  | 31,236,599 | 59.83  | 9.6 |
| 1962   | 380,565,542 | 232,006,009 | 60.96  | 33,814,823 | 57.36  | 8.9 |
| 1963   | 343,634,666 | 205,886,036 | 59.91  | 29,901,587 | 55.47  | 8.7 |
| 1964   | 338,191,697 | 200,024,970 | 59.15  | 29,019,597 | 53.75  | 8.6 |
| 1965   | 307,093,820 | 200,416,487 | 65.26  | 30,083,579 | 62.43  | 9.8 |
| 1966   | 244,515,798 | 168,269,710 | 68.82  | 20,840,255 | 66.60  | 8.5 |
| 1967   | 321,858,935 | 209,247,378 | 65.01  | 21,007,854 | 65.04  | 6.5 |
| 1968   | 267,797,623 | 178,792,044 | 66.76  | 11,823,961 | 64.63  | 4.4 |
| 1969   | 266,398,182 | 193,417,154 | 72.60  | 11,570,580 | 69.18  | 4.3 |
| 1970   | 295,199,641 | 211,647,639 | 71.70  | 13,093,825 | 69.89  | 4.4 |
| 1971   | 268,269,338 | 203,142,898 | 75.72  | 9,179,937  | 74.44  | 3.4 |
| 1972   | 249,189,219 | 212,636,929 | 85.33  | 6,871,760  | 85.21  | 2.8 |
| 1973   | 270,106,986 | 234,450,946 | 86.80  | 6,885,607  | 85.67  | 2.5 |
| 1974   | 290,214,356 | 301,501,762 | 103.89 | 12,454,779 | 103.54 | 4.3 |
| 1975   | 337,295,149 | 336,862,452 | 99.87  | 15,924,832 | 102.39 | 4.7 |
| 1976   | 274,533,411 | 308,368,439 | 112.32 | 13,431,854 | 113.56 | 4.9 |
| 1977   | 242,521,480 | 301,064,572 | 124.14 | 14,922,451 | 127.50 | 6.2 |
| 1978   |             |             |        |            |        |     |
| 1979   |             |             |        |            |        |     |
| 1980   |             |             |        |            |        |     |
| 1981   |             |             |        |            |        |     |
| 1982   |             |             |        |            |        |     |
| 1983   |             |             |        |            |        |     |
| 1984   |             |             |        |            |        |     |
| 1985   |             |             |        |            |        |     |

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Table 9 Gross sales, value, and average price; and resales, average price, and percentage of gross sales, by types, for flue-cured tobacco, crops of 1960 to 1977.

| TYPE 14 - GEORGIA AND FLORIDA |             |             |         |            |         |               |
|-------------------------------|-------------|-------------|---------|------------|---------|---------------|
| Crop/:                        | Gross       |             |         | Resales    |         |               |
|                               | Sales       | Value       | Average | Resales    | Average | Percentage of |
|                               | Pounds      | Dollars     | Dollars | Pounds     | Dollars | Gross Sales   |
|                               |             |             | Price   |            | Price   | Percent       |
| 1960                          | 182,828,147 | 103,140,976 | 56.41   | 16,791,032 | 51.83   | 9.2           |
| 1961                          | 191,637,024 | 112,834,017 | 58.88   | 15,026,256 | 54.82   | 7.8           |
| 1962                          | 205,291,095 | 116,011,975 | 56.51   | 14,982,222 | 54.35   | 7.3           |
| 1963                          | 198,092,819 | 112,668,937 | 56.88   | 16,084,651 | 51.90   | 6.3           |
| 1964                          | 174,701,252 | 102,400,740 | 58.61   | 16,930,334 | 55.20   | 9.7           |
| 1965                          | 172,159,315 | 113,657,538 | 66.02   | 17,107,397 | 64.42   | 9.9           |
| 1966                          | 172,935,416 | 120,869,024 | 69.89   | 17,931,289 | 68.83   | 10.4          |
| 1967                          | 224,236,445 | 146,998,659 | 65.56   | 17,339,924 | 65.42   | 7.7           |
| 1968                          | 164,171,955 | 112,061,970 | 68.26   | 10,175,993 | 66.58   | 6.2           |
| 1969                          | 157,067,017 | 115,089,395 | 73.27   | 10,351,278 | 71.54   | 6.6           |
| 1970                          | 201,045,076 | 149,308,182 | 74.27   | 10,046,091 | 72.99   | 5.0           |
| 1971                          | 181,667,143 | 139,553,076 | 76.82   | 7,045,061  | 75.98   | 3.9           |
| 1972                          | 165,681,843 | 141,569,824 | 85.45   | 5,472,073  | 85.25   | 3.3           |
| 1973                          | 153,258,700 | 134,419,282 | 87.71   | 5,878,589  | 86.78   | 3.8           |
| 1974                          | 197,751,953 | 203,205,014 | 102.76  | 8,758,738  | 100.78  | 4.4           |
| 1975                          | 190,579,943 | 190,808,798 | 100.12  | 8,735,138  | 102.06  | 4.6           |
| 1976                          | 162,761,434 | 179,368,837 | 110.20  | 7,710,037  | 110.97  | 4.7           |
| 1977                          | 169,195,099 | 196,094,691 | 115.90  | 12,666,263 | 117.34  | 7.5           |
| 1978                          |             |             |         |            |         |               |
| 1979                          |             |             |         |            |         |               |
| 1980                          |             |             |         |            |         |               |
| 1981                          |             |             |         |            |         |               |
| 1982                          |             |             |         |            |         |               |
| 1983                          |             |             |         |            |         |               |
| 1984                          |             |             |         |            |         |               |
| 1985                          |             |             |         |            |         |               |

| TYPES 11-14 - TOTAL FLUE-CURED |               |               |        |             |        |     |
|--------------------------------|---------------|---------------|--------|-------------|--------|-----|
| 1960                           | 1,369,751,155 | 820,242,136   | 59.88  | 122,527,793 | 53.86  | 8.9 |
| 1961                           | 1,364,452,046 | 869,590,622   | 63.73  | 115,520,489 | 58.21  | 8.5 |
| 1962                           | 1,507,917,968 | 900,746,051   | 59.73  | 107,612,105 | 55.37  | 7.1 |
| 1963                           | 1,463,390,791 | 843,979,096   | 57.67  | 99,215,726  | 52.56  | 6.8 |
| 1964                           | 1,475,270,208 | 857,573,880   | 58.13  | 96,378,011  | 52.53  | 6.5 |
| 1965                           | 1,152,011,564 | 742,027,781   | 64.41  | 93,693,793  | 61.77  | 8.1 |
| 1966                           | 1,194,279,219 | 796,932,635   | 66.73  | 87,959,151  | 64.57  | 7.4 |
| 1967                           | 1,317,322,967 | 844,747,428   | 64.13  | 69,840,511  | 63.29  | 5.3 |
| 1968                           | 1,039,331,984 | 691,390,402   | 66.52  | 43,686,618  | 63.84  | 4.2 |
| 1969                           | 1,095,583,092 | 791,151,896   | 72.21  | 44,879,757  | 68.90  | 4.1 |
| 1970                           | 1,223,858,136 | 880,361,757   | 71.93  | 45,757,772  | 69.12  | 3.7 |
| 1971                           | 1,106,736,705 | 854,135,804   | 77.18  | 32,421,035  | 74.92  | 2.9 |
| 1972                           | 1,047,704,257 | 893,657,432   | 85.30  | 32,129,517  | 83.07  | 3.1 |
| 1973                           | 1,181,224,628 | 1,040,372,414 | 88.08  | 26,323,781  | 85.82  | 2.2 |
| 1974                           | 1,291,165,265 | 1,355,544,429 | 104.99 | 51,072,832  | 103.14 | 4.0 |
| 1975                           | 1,468,705,354 | 1,467,902,452 | 99.95  | 58,097,100  | 101.04 | 4.0 |
| 1976                           | 1,370,265,340 | 1,515,579,715 | 110.60 | 57,348,187  | 112.78 | 4.2 |
| 1977                           | 1,185,887,189 | 1,397,415,137 | 117.84 | 64,482,726  | 120.52 | 5.4 |
| 1978                           |               |               |        |             |        |     |
| 1979                           |               |               |        |             |        |     |
| 1980                           |               |               |        |             |        |     |
| 1981                           |               |               |        |             |        |     |
| 1982                           |               |               |        |             |        |     |
| 1983                           |               |               |        |             |        |     |
| 1984                           |               |               |        |             |        |     |
| 1985                           |               |               |        |             |        |     |

1/ Data for years prior to 1960 may be found in the 1975 and earlier issues of the Market Review.

Table 10 Producers' sales, value and average price, by markets for flue-cured tobacco, 1977 and 1976 crops. I/

| MARKET AND STATE | TYPE 11 - OLD AND MIDDLE BELT FLUE-CURED |                         |                | 1976 CROP     |                |                |
|------------------|--|-------------------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|
|                  | 1977 CROP                                |                         | AVERAGE PRICE  | SALES         | VALUE          | AVERAGE PRICE  |
|                  | SALES<br><u>Pounds</u>                   | VALUE<br><u>Dollars</u> | <u>Dollars</u> | <u>Pounds</u> | <u>Dollars</u> | <u>Dollars</u> |
| Virginia:        |  |                         |                |               |                |                |
| Brookneal        | 9,389,478                                | 10,819,859              | 115.23         | 11,214,892    | 11,916,687     | 106.26         |
| Chase City       | 6,946,703                                | 8,245,660               | 118.70         | 8,320,276     | 8,702,940      | 104.60         |
| Clarksville      | 5,938,310                                | 7,294,516               | 122.84         | 6,944,581     | 7,453,048      | 107.32         |
| Danville         | 42,899,339                               | 50,157,520              | 116.92         | 49,766,975    | 52,895,687     | 106.29         |
| Kenbridge        | 6,423,863                                | 7,591,751               | 118.18         | 7,173,487     | 7,228,237      | 100.76         |
| Lawrenceville    | 7,970,568                                | 9,473,626               | 118.86         | 9,953,054     | 10,612,511     | 106.63         |
| Martinsville     | 7,116,216                                | 8,559,576               | 120.28         | 7,245,119     | 7,700,717      | 106.29         |
| Petersburg       | 5,444,380                                | 6,540,076               | 120.13         | 6,846,262     | 7,210,678      | 105.32         |
| South Boston     | 19,558,996                               | 22,290,751              | 113.97         | 22,848,451    | 24,283,173     | 106.28         |
| South Hill       | 10,212,912                               | 12,557,018              | 122.95         | 11,316,351    | 11,869,886     | 104.89         |
| Total Virginia   | 121,900,765                              | 143,530,353             | 117.74         | 141,629,448   | 149,873,564    | 105.82         |
| North Carolina:  |  |                         |                |               |                |                |
| Aberdeen         | 6,896,441                                | 7,307,729               | 105.96         | 6,474,250     | 6,874,164      | 106.18         |
| Burlington       | 6,609,898                                | 7,494,286               | 113.38         | 7,426,792     | 7,813,730      | 105.21         |
| Carthage         | 10,384,616                               | 12,006,588              | 115.62         | 12,238,084    | 13,415,721     | 109.62         |
| Durham           | 16,621,388                               | 17,762,399              | 106.86         | 21,325,374    | 22,466,550     | 105.35         |
| Ellerbe          | 1,696,607                                | 1,772,844               | 104.49         | 3,532,148     | 3,738,205      | 105.83         |
| Fuquay-Varina    | 24,888,752                               | 28,217,247              | 113.37         | 30,294,978    | 33,188,871     | 109.55         |
| Greensboro       | 5,397,951                                | 5,750,373               | 106.53         | 5,739,682     | 6,127,492      | 106.76         |
| Henderson        | 15,273,367                               | 17,785,774              | 116.45         | 21,479,745    | 23,387,688     | 108.88         |
| Louisburg        | 7,387,957                                | 8,202,113               | 111.02         | 11,130,197    | 12,213,539     | 109.73         |
| Madison          | 7,493,040                                | 8,114,341               | 108.29         | 8,110,659     | 8,813,981      | 108.67         |
| Mebane           | 6,152,041                                | 7,027,145               | 114.22         | 8,023,596     | 8,402,054      | 104.72         |
| Mt. Airy         | 11,837,984                               | 13,350,308              | 112.78         | 12,628,357    | 13,892,514     | 110.01         |
| Oxford           | 15,554,324                               | 16,891,035              | 108.59         | 20,590,325    | 21,660,489     | 105.20         |
| Reidsville       | 15,890,052                               | 17,882,608              | 112.54         | 17,489,433    | 18,333,237     | 104.82         |
| Roxboro          | 15,221,053                               | 16,792,987              | 110.33         | 19,082,887    | 20,072,866     | 105.19         |
| Sanford          | 13,424,830                               | 16,458,596              | 122.60         | 14,392,396    | 15,779,626     | 109.64         |
| Stoneville       | 10,095,768                               | 11,246,096              | 111.39         | 12,292,640    | 13,278,814     | 108.02         |
| Warrenton        | 8,093,928                                | 8,975,949               | 110.90         | 11,639,995    | 12,318,858     | 105.83         |
| Winston-Salem    | 40,261,428                               | 45,092,058              | 112.00         | 42,108,976    | 45,852,731     | 108.89         |
| Yadkinville      | 5,726,367                                | 5,669,390               | 99.01          | 7,369,563     | 7,845,665      | 106.46         |
| Total N. C.      | 244,907,792                              | 273,799,866             | 111.80         | 293,370,077   | 315,476,795    | 107.54         |
| Total Type 11    | 366,808,557                              | 417,330,219             | 113.77         | 434,999,525   | 465,350,359    | 106.98         |

TYPE 12 - EASTERN NORTH CAROLINA FLUE-CURED

|                 |             |             |        |             |             |        |
|-----------------|-------------|-------------|--------|-------------|-------------|--------|
| North Carolina: |             |             |        |             |             |        |
| Ahoskie         | 7,833,914   | 9,936,033   | 126.83 | 11,554,610  | 12,671,897  | 109.67 |
| Clinton         | 16,002,233  | 19,104,045  | 119.38 | 18,712,433  | 21,363,129  | 114.17 |
| Dunn            | 15,574,122  | 17,709,728  | 113.71 | 16,989,493  | 18,743,481  | 110.32 |
| Farmville       | 24,989,232  | 28,990,890  | 116.01 | 32,918,043  | 38,172,366  | 115.96 |
| Goldsboro       | 25,420,465  | 29,856,146  | 117.45 | 29,196,165  | 33,872,393  | 116.02 |
| Greenville      | 39,187,881  | 45,646,478  | 116.48 | 52,077,295  | 59,908,469  | 115.04 |
| Kinston         | 45,448,183  | 53,979,618  | 118.77 | 51,819,400  | 59,882,631  | 115.56 |
| Robersonville   | 6,674,924   | 8,593,039   | 128.74 | 10,605,663  | 12,007,168  | 113.21 |
| Rocky Mount     | 30,332,293  | 33,162,185  | 109.33 | 46,178,968  | 50,077,013  | 108.44 |
| Smithfield      | 21,751,884  | 24,733,418  | 113.71 | 23,674,960  | 25,723,564  | 108.65 |
| Tarboro         | 5,508,645   | 6,411,984   | 116.40 | 8,597,792   | 9,313,675   | 108.33 |
| Wallace         | 13,112,303  | 16,794,451  | 128.08 | 14,194,168  | 16,164,505  | 113.88 |
| Washington      | 9,769,785   | 12,094,751  | 123.80 | 12,775,237  | 14,468,713  | 113.26 |
| Wendell         | 11,868,125  | 13,621,141  | 114.77 | 13,431,537  | 14,990,351  | 111.61 |
| Williamston     | 10,561,937  | 13,890,359  | 131.51 | 13,167,466  | 15,100,343  | 114.68 |
| Wilson          | 76,865,424  | 92,183,142  | 119.93 | 94,904,268  | 106,750,248 | 112.48 |
| Windsor         | 9,566,691   | 12,389,778  | 129.51 | 10,967,176  | 12,411,788  | 113.17 |
| Total Type 12   | 370,468,041 | 439,097,186 | 118.52 | 461,764,674 | 521,621,734 | 112.96 |

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Table 10 Producers' sales, value and average price, by markets, for flue-cured tobacco, 1977 and 1976 crops. 1/

| MARKET AND STATE | TYPE 13 - SOUTH CAROLINA AND BORDER NORTH CAROLINA FLUE-CURED |                |                | TYPE 13 - SOUTH CAROLINA AND BORDER NORTH CAROLINA FLUE-CURED |                |                |
|------------------|---|----------------|----------------|---|----------------|----------------|
|                  | 1 9 7 7 C R O P   |                |                | 1 9 7 6 C R O P   |                |                |
|                  | SALES   | VALUE          | AVERAGE PRICE  | SALES   | VALUE          | AVERAGE PRICE  |
|                  | <u>Pounds</u>   | <u>Dollars</u> | <u>Dollars</u> | <u>Pounds</u>   | <u>Dollars</u> | <u>Dollars</u> |
| South Carolina:  |   |                |                |   |                |                |
| Conway           | 11,229,255  | 14,227,798     | 126.70         | 11,719,280  | 13,136,331     | 112.09         |
| Darlington       | 7,942,879   | 9,328,801      | 117.45         | 8,284,073   | 9,118,778      | 110.08         |
| Dillon           | 3,541,178   | 4,269,845      | 120.58         | 4,759,069   | 5,334,854      | 112.10         |
| Hemingway        | 8,908,908   | 11,335,664     | 127.24         | 8,692,721   | 9,775,873      | 112.46         |
| Kingstree        | 8,020,037   | 9,682,531      | 120.73         | 8,938,398   | 9,897,535      | 110.73         |
| Lake City        | 31,847,072  | 39,718,785     | 124.72         | 34,975,126  | 39,357,314     | 112.53         |
| Lamar            | 1,856,802   | 2,199,633      | 118.46         | 2,258,192   | 2,483,961      | 110.00         |
| Loris            | 10,103,664  | 12,798,609     | 126.67         | 10,817,151  | 12,107,942     | 111.93         |
| Mullins          | 30,208,691  | 37,313,904     | 123.52         | 34,947,738  | 39,491,578     | 113.00         |
| Pamplico         | 6,687,897   | 8,354,468      | 124.92         | 7,861,383   | 8,963,835      | 114.02         |
| Timmonsville     | 10,286,693  | 11,752,161     | 114.25         | 12,901,693  | 14,227,717     | 110.28         |
| Total S. C.      | 130,633,076   | 160,982,139    | 123.23         | 146,154,824   | 163,895,718    | 112.14         |
| North Carolina:  |   |                |                |   |                |                |
| Chadbourn        | 9,862,604   | 12,905,796     | 130.86         | 9,396,696   | 10,472,519     | 111.45         |
| Clarkton         | 5,339,285   | 6,753,932      | 126.50         | 6,601,067   | 7,412,443      | 112.29         |
| Fair Bluff       | 6,506,225   | 8,206,325      | 126.13         | 6,846,225   | 7,678,771      | 112.16         |
| Fairmont         | 22,512,160  | 27,848,773     | 123.71         | 28,445,490  | 32,268,528     | 113.44         |
| Fayetteville     | 3,341,650   | 3,836,885      | 114.82         | 4,801,366   | 5,198,709      | 108.28         |
| Lumberton        | 19,624,451  | 23,329,639     | 118.88         | 26,165,051  | 29,329,005     | 112.09         |
| Tabor City       | 11,701,445  | 14,969,078     | 127.93         | 11,908,871  | 13,256,202     | 111.31         |
| Whiteville       | 18,078,133  | 23,206,053     | 128.37         | 20,781,967  | 23,603,154     | 113.58         |
| Total N. C.      | 96,965,953  | 121,056,481    | 124.84         | 114,946,733   | 129,219,331    | 112.42         |
| Total Type 13    | 227,599,029   | 282,038,620    | 123.92         | 261,101,557   | 293,115,049    | 112.26         |

| TYPE 14 - GEORGIA AND FLORIDA FLUE-CURED |               |               |        |               |               |        |
|--|---------------|---------------|--------|---------------|---------------|--------|
| Georgia:                                 |               |               |        |               |               |        |
| Adel                                     | 6,068,137     | 6,790,835     | 111.91 | 5,924,362     | 6,609,573     | 111.57 |
| Alma                                     | 5,049,130     | 5,819,877     | 115.26 | 4,641,762     | 5,127,958     | 110.47 |
| Baxley                                   | 5,271,167     | 5,964,352     | 113.15 | 5,452,904     | 5,984,845     | 109.76 |
| Blackshear                               | 8,515,469     | 9,425,570     | 110.69 | 8,185,075     | 9,065,503     | 110.76 |
| Claxton                                  | 5,525,686     | 6,525,968     | 118.10 | 4,675,316     | 5,072,028     | 108.49 |
| Douglas                                  | 13,944,041    | 17,114,019    | 122.73 | 10,275,912    | 11,622,748    | 113.11 |
| Fitzgerald                               | 5,083,158     | 6,263,665     | 123.22 | 4,487,564     | 4,974,112     | 110.84 |
| Hahira                                   | 4,219,959     | 4,806,930     | 113.91 | 3,883,511     | 4,299,363     | 110.71 |
| Hazlehurst                               | 4,112,969     | 4,978,165     | 121.04 | 4,288,334     | 4,804,854     | 112.04 |
| Metter                                   | 5,041,612     | 5,640,875     | 111.89 | 5,675,522     | 6,266,922     | 110.42 |
| Moultrie                                 | 12,689,639    | 14,352,272    | 113.10 | 11,434,330    | 12,700,354    | 111.07 |
| Nashville                                | 10,843,116    | 12,680,022    | 116.94 | 9,026,990     | 10,062,847    | 111.48 |
| Pearson                                  | 1,208,949     | 1,408,278     | 116.49 | 1,860,551     | 2,053,104     | 110.35 |
| Pelham                                   | 6,631,787     | 7,249,951     | 109.32 | 8,094,312     | 8,854,784     | 109.40 |
| Quitman                                  | 1,939,858     | 2,214,796     | 114.17 | 2,039,092     | 2,211,356     | 108.45 |
| Statesboro                               | 6,791,240     | 7,348,746     | 108.21 | 5,395,133     | 5,671,113     | 105.12 |
| Sylvester                                | 226,862       | 226,455       | 99.82  | 784,803       | 854,729       | 108.91 |
| Thomasville                              | 2,304,444     | 2,500,215     | 108.50 | 3,493,738     | 3,629,511     | 103.89 |
| Tifton                                   | 9,459,892     | 10,872,384    | 114.93 | 8,202,489     | 9,038,755     | 110.20 |
| Valdosta                                 | 7,170,652     | 8,180,020     | 114.08 | 5,832,733     | 6,436,444     | 110.35 |
| Vidalia                                  | 7,898,052     | 8,864,093     | 112.23 | 9,103,111     | 9,963,443     | 109.45 |
| Waycross                                 | 4,467,015     | 5,265,059     | 117.87 | 4,546,094     | 5,083,161     | 111.81 |
| Total Georgia                            | 134,462,834   | 154,492,547   | 114.90 | 127,303,638   | 140,387,507   | 110.28 |
| Florida:                                 |               |               |        |               |               |        |
| High Springs                             | 2,910,716     | 3,414,155     | 117.30 | 3,611,439     | 3,928,809     | 108.79 |
| Jasper                                   | 3,118,076     | 3,903,857     | 125.20 | 4,602,336     | 5,092,706     | 110.65 |
| Lake City                                | 4,214,200     | 5,038,232     | 119.55 | 5,580,426     | 5,970,689     | 106.99 |
| Live Oak                                 | 9,470,429     | 11,610,619    | 122.60 | 11,177,766    | 12,358,027    | 110.56 |
| Madison                                  | 2,352,581     | 2,772,848     | 117.86 | 2,775,792     | 3,075,652     | 110.80 |
| Total Florida                            | 22,066,002    | 26,739,711    | 121.18 | 27,747,759    | 30,425,883    | 109.65 |
| Total Type 14                            | 156,528,836   | 181,232,258   | 115.78 | 155,051,397   | 170,813,390   | 110.17 |
| Total Types 11-14                        | 1,121,404,463 | 1,319,698,283 | 117.68 | 1,312,917,153 | 1,450,900,532 | 110.51 |

1/ Auction sales only. Does not include carryover tobacco, nonauction sales, or direct deliveries.

Table 11 Gross sales, value and average price, by markets, for flue-cured tobacco, 1977 and 1976 crops.

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| TYPE 11 - OLD AND MIDDLE BELT FLUE-CURED |                 |                |                |                 |                |                |
|--|-----------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|
| MARKET AND STATE                         | 1 9 7 7 C R O P |                |                | 1 9 7 6 C R O P |                |                |
|  | SALES           | VALUE          | AVERAGE PRICE  | SALES           | VALUE          | AVERAGE PRICE  |
|  | <u>Pounds</u>   | <u>Dollars</u> | <u>Dollars</u> | <u>Pounds</u>   | <u>Dollars</u> | <u>Dollars</u> |
| Virginia:                                |                 |                |                |                 |                |                |
| Brookneal                                | 9,929,967       | 11,427,677     | 115.08         | 11,607,714      | 12,354,703     | 106.44         |
| Chase City                               | 7,148,702       | 8,489,637      | 118.76         | 8,535,394       | 8,938,028      | 104.72         |
| Clarksville                              | 6,132,605       | 7,543,002      | 123.00         | 7,142,577       | 7,671,842      | 107.41         |
| Danville                                 | 44,573,341      | 52,221,553     | 117.16         | 51,516,595      | 54,833,896     | 106.44         |
| Kenbridge                                | 6,497,422       | 7,675,758      | 118.14         | 7,213,842       | 7,259,222      | 100.63         |
| Lawrenceville                            | 8,162,430       | 9,703,229      | 118.88         | 10,214,230      | 10,896,629     | 106.68         |
| Martinsville                             | 7,417,765       | 8,978,211      | 121.04         | 7,447,161       | 7,940,777      | 106.63         |
| Petersburg                               | 5,735,731       | 6,929,987      | 120.82         | 7,042,661       | 7,434,157      | 105.56         |
| South Boston                             | 20,257,309      | 23,113,013     | 114.10         | 23,473,748      | 24,949,530     | 106.29         |
| South Hill                               | 10,505,512      | 12,920,994     | 122.99         | 11,558,451      | 12,142,844     | 105.06         |
| Total Virginia                           | 126,360,784     | 149,003,061    | 117.92         | 145,752,373     | 154,421,628    | 105.95         |
| North Carolina:                          |                 |                |                |                 |                |                |
| Aberdeen                                 | 7,453,693       | 7,864,785      | 105.52         | 6,869,011       | 7,302,938      | 106.32         |
| Burlington                               | 6,924,503       | 7,852,470      | 113.40         | 7,699,710       | 8,118,304      | 105.44         |
| Carthage                                 | 10,981,353      | 12,726,924     | 115.90         | 12,859,857      | 14,109,396     | 109.72         |
| Durham                                   | 17,740,799      | 19,053,164     | 107.40         | 22,745,485      | 24,009,985     | 105.56         |
| Ellerbe                                  | 1,946,486       | 1,980,123      | 101.73         | 3,763,650       | 3,990,388      | 106.02         |
| Fuquay-Varina                            | 26,295,026      | 29,962,670     | 113.95         | 31,605,529      | 34,682,087     | 109.73         |
| Greensboro                               | 5,616,072       | 5,973,770      | 106.37         | 5,964,060       | 6,375,094      | 106.89         |
| Henderson                                | 15,686,973      | 18,278,235     | 116.52         | 22,018,623      | 23,988,542     | 108.95         |
| Louisburg                                | 7,787,479       | 8,678,446      | 111.44         | 11,653,013      | 12,803,788     | 109.88         |
| Madison                                  | 8,067,500       | 8,766,714      | 108.67         | 8,616,077       | 9,379,459      | 108.86         |
| Mebane                                   | 6,231,455       | 7,124,510      | 114.33         | 8,096,822       | 8,478,552      | 104.71         |
| Mt. Airy                                 | 12,770,265      | 14,437,686     | 113.06         | 13,506,852      | 14,879,233     | 110.16         |
| Oxford                                   | 16,095,514      | 17,440,769     | 108.36         | 21,172,104      | 22,275,174     | 105.21         |
| Reidsville                               | 16,594,073      | 18,758,783     | 113.05         | 18,130,473      | 19,052,988     | 105.09         |
| Roxboro                                  | 15,770,900      | 17,465,184     | 110.74         | 19,592,123      | 20,637,901     | 105.34         |
| Sanford                                  | 14,054,803      | 17,195,092     | 122.34         | 14,978,772      | 16,422,688     | 109.64         |
| Stoneville                               | 10,608,207      | 11,880,122     | 111.99         | 12,853,884      | 13,923,897     | 108.32         |
| Warrenton                                | 8,458,567       | 9,386,716      | 110.97         | 11,991,824      | 12,698,714     | 105.89         |
| Winston-Salem                            | 43,740,701      | 49,387,666     | 112.91         | 45,225,950      | 49,390,183     | 109.21         |
| Yadkinville                              | 6,071,075       | 6,018,263      | 99.13          | 7,734,489       | 8,262,964      | 106.83         |
| Total N. C.                              | 258,895,444     | 290,232,092    | 112.10         | 307,078,308     | 330,782,275    | 107.72         |
| Total Type 11                            | 385,256,228     | 439,235,153    | 114.01         | 452,830,681     | 485,203,903    | 107.15         |

| TYPE 12 - EASTERN NORTH CAROLINA FLUE-CURED |             |             |        |             |             |        |
|---|-------------|-------------|--------|-------------|-------------|--------|
| North Carolina:                             |             |             |        |             |             |        |
| Ahoskie                                     | 8,193,422   | 10,419,639  | 127.17 | 11,975,207  | 13,148,615  | 109.80 |
| Clinton                                     | 16,656,613  | 19,900,015  | 119.47 | 19,436,113  | 22,219,250  | 114.32 |
| Dunn  | 16,375,990  | 18,630,724  | 113.77 | 17,598,359  | 19,418,433  | 110.34 |
| Farmville                                   | 26,278,382  | 30,490,278  | 116.03 | 34,188,208  | 39,645,561  | 115.96 |
| Goldsville                                  | 26,838,678  | 31,584,019  | 117.68 | 30,722,785  | 35,659,941  | 116.07 |
| Greenville                                  | 41,238,317  | 48,027,019  | 116.46 | 54,495,445  | 62,668,795  | 115.00 |
| Kinston                                     | 47,390,748  | 56,158,958  | 118.50 | 53,790,934  | 62,098,943  | 115.44 |
| Robersonville                               | 7,144,693   | 9,138,430   | 127.91 | 11,272,124  | 12,754,458  | 113.15 |
| Rocky Mount                                 | 31,506,811  | 34,450,982  | 109.34 | 47,177,938  | 51,158,754  | 108.44 |
| Smithfield                                  | 22,680,514  | 25,839,894  | 113.93 | 24,603,904  | 26,811,898  | 108.97 |
| Tarboro                                     | 5,764,678   | 6,704,054   | 116.30 | 8,919,972   | 9,673,804   | 108.45 |
| Wallace                                     | 13,535,444  | 17,332,539  | 128.05 | 14,510,793  | 16,512,548  | 113.79 |
| Washington                                  | 10,387,670  | 12,914,644  | 124.33 | 13,411,351  | 15,179,645  | 113.19 |
| Wendell                                     | 12,250,054  | 14,060,432  | 114.78 | 13,751,788  | 15,354,192  | 111.65 |
| Williamston                                 | 10,944,033  | 14,398,792  | 131.57 | 13,563,630  | 15,562,101  | 114.73 |
| Wilson                                      | 81,572,206  | 97,823,104  | 119.92 | 99,089,615  | 111,604,273 | 112.63 |
| Windsor                                     | 10,156,129  | 13,147,198  | 129.45 | 11,631,648  | 13,167,325  | 113.20 |
| Total Type 12                               | 388,914,382 | 461,020,721 | 118.54 | 480,139,814 | 542,638,536 | 113.02 |

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Table 11 Gross sales, value and average price, by markets, for flue-cured tobacco, 1977 and 1976 crops.

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| MARKET AND STATE | TYPE 13 - SOUTH CAROLINA AND BORDER NORTH CAROLINA FLUE-CURED |                |                |                 |                |                |
|------------------|---|----------------|----------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|
|                  | 1 9 7 7 C R O P   |                |                | 1 9 7 6 C R O P |                |                |
|                  | SALES   | VALUE          | AVERAGE PRICE  | SALES           | VALUE          | AVERAGE PRICE  |
|                  | <u>Pounds</u>   | <u>Dollars</u> | <u>Dollars</u> | <u>Pounds</u>   | <u>Dollars</u> | <u>Dollars</u> |
| South Carolina:  |   |                |                |                 |                |                |
| Conway           | 12,017,330  | 15,260,599     | 126.99         | 12,329,006      | 13,842,607     | 112.28         |
| Darlington       | 8,294,765   | 9,766,882      | 117.75         | 8,558,081       | 9,419,070      | 110.06         |
| Dillon           | 3,751,337   | 4,520,488      | 120.50         | 4,951,537       | 5,548,549      | 112.06         |
| Hemingway        | 9,475,643   | 12,095,395     | 127.65         | 9,194,687       | 10,356,534     | 112.64         |
| Kingstree        | 8,644,449   | 10,477,635     | 121.21         | 9,482,243       | 10,515,453     | 110.90         |
| Lake City        | 33,915,089  | 42,315,291     | 124.77         | 37,134,010      | 41,778,142     | 112.51         |
| Lamar            | 2,031,835   | 2,422,719      | 119.24         | 2,425,510       | 2,672,787      | 110.19         |
| Loris            | 10,800,462  | 13,739,398     | 127.21         | 11,399,129      | 12,782,919     | 112.14         |
| Mullins          | 32,243,330  | 39,916,607     | 123.80         | 36,797,028      | 41,620,733     | 113.11         |
| Pamplico         | 6,991,414   | 8,752,254      | 125.19         | 8,066,729       | 9,198,160      | 114.03         |
| Timmonsville     | 11,150,399  | 12,826,795     | 115.03         | 13,830,947      | 15,289,869     | 110.55         |
| Total S. C.      | 139,316,053   | 172,094,063    | 123.53         | 154,168,907     | 173,024,823    | 112.23         |
| North Carolina:  |   |                |                |                 |                |                |
| Chadbourn        | 10,772,992  | 14,133,649     | 131.20         | 10,017,497      | 11,203,960     | 111.84         |
| Clarkton         | 5,891,269   | 7,459,792      | 126.62         | 7,037,555       | 7,884,066      | 112.03         |
| Fair Bluff       | 7,012,274   | 8,831,783      | 125.95         | 7,128,694       | 8,002,186      | 112.25         |
| Fairmont         | 24,116,862  | 29,909,737     | 124.02         | 30,091,264      | 34,146,814     | 113.48         |
| Fayetteville     | 3,519,487   | 4,047,121      | 114.99         | 4,998,448       | 5,414,117      | 108.32         |
| Lumberton        | 20,495,274  | 24,365,745     | 118.88         | 26,872,797      | 30,116,445     | 112.07         |
| Tabor City       | 12,393,857  | 15,858,353     | 127.95         | 12,606,251      | 14,060,322     | 111.53         |
| Whiteville       | 19,003,412  | 24,364,329     | 128.21         | 21,611,998      | 24,515,706     | 113.44         |
| Total N. C.      | 103,205,427   | 128,970,509    | 124.96         | 120,364,504     | 135,343,616    | 112.44         |
| Total Type 13    | 242,521,480   | 301,064,572    | 124.14         | 274,533,411     | 308,368,439    | 112.32         |

TYPE 14 - GEORGIA AND FLORIDA FLUE-CURED

|                   |               |               |        |               |               |        |
|-------------------|---------------|---------------|--------|---------------|---------------|--------|
| Georgia:          |               |               |        |               |               |        |
| Adel              | 6,501,819     | 7,264,912     | 111.74 | 6,294,216     | 7,012,669     | 111.41 |
| Alma              | 5,348,681     | 6,173,257     | 115.42 | 4,792,548     | 5,284,393     | 110.26 |
| Baxley            | 5,619,554     | 6,378,206     | 113.50 | 5,705,128     | 6,260,791     | 109.74 |
| Blackshear        | 9,162,499     | 10,065,531    | 109.86 | 8,466,905     | 9,367,473     | 110.64 |
| Claxton           | 6,435,576     | 7,395,463     | 114.92 | 5,045,736     | 5,484,434     | 108.69 |
| Douglas           | 15,205,051    | 18,713,751    | 123.08 | 10,810,984    | 12,248,823    | 113.30 |
| Fitzgerald        | 5,374,418     | 6,632,707     | 123.41 | 4,589,094     | 5,082,363     | 110.75 |
| Hahira            | 4,376,976     | 5,011,048     | 114.49 | 4,056,109     | 4,495,587     | 110.83 |
| Hazlehurst        | 4,347,530     | 5,276,989     | 121.38 | 4,481,824     | 5,024,905     | 112.12 |
| Metter            | 5,288,538     | 5,939,815     | 112.31 | 5,904,670     | 6,514,979     | 110.34 |
| Moultrie          | 14,042,256    | 15,952,465    | 113.60 | 12,123,900    | 13,465,335    | 111.06 |
| Nashville         | 11,711,106    | 13,704,092    | 117.02 | 9,477,180     | 10,572,088    | 111.55 |
| Pearson           | 1,341,046     | 1,560,732     | 116.38 | 2,079,617     | 2,303,811     | 110.78 |
| Pelham            | 7,203,839     | 7,933,085     | 110.12 | 8,492,864     | 9,277,885     | 109.24 |
| Quitman           | 2,019,599     | 2,308,392     | 114.30 | 2,119,812     | 2,298,829     | 108.44 |
| Statesboro        | 7,458,904     | 8,048,321     | 107.90 | 5,698,100     | 5,977,471     | 104.90 |
| Sylvester         | 242,224       | 243,515       | 100.53 | 816,723       | 887,546       | 108.67 |
| Thomasville       | 2,637,586     | 2,941,841     | 111.54 | 3,714,870     | 3,882,137     | 104.50 |
| Tifton            | 10,143,771    | 11,680,777    | 115.15 | 8,600,831     | 9,485,373     | 110.28 |
| Valdosta          | 7,610,063     | 8,681,909     | 114.08 | 6,076,592     | 6,681,060     | 109.95 |
| Vidalia           | 8,709,702     | 9,789,140     | 112.39 | 9,667,849     | 10,603,376    | 109.68 |
| Waycross          | 4,805,066     | 5,678,703     | 118.18 | 4,783,192     | 5,357,559     | 112.01 |
| Total Georgia     | 145,585,804   | 167,374,651   | 114.97 | 133,798,744   | 147,568,887   | 110.29 |
| Florida:          |               |               |        |               |               |        |
| High Springs      | 3,023,355     | 3,547,147     | 117.32 | 3,724,987     | 4,057,373     | 108.92 |
| Jasper            | 3,266,977     | 4,096,952     | 125.40 | 4,833,418     | 5,357,995     | 110.85 |
| Lake City         | 4,546,948     | 5,456,311     | 120.00 | 5,732,379     | 6,133,550     | 107.00 |
| Live Oak          | 10,322,782    | 12,719,573    | 123.22 | 11,812,530    | 13,078,444    | 110.72 |
| Madison           | 2,449,233     | 2,900,057     | 118.41 | 2,859,376     | 3,172,588     | 110.95 |
| Total Florida     | 23,609,295    | 28,720,040    | 121.65 | 28,962,690    | 31,799,950    | 109.80 |
| Total Type 14     | 169,195,099   | 196,094,691   | 115.90 | 162,761,434   | 179,368,837   | 110.20 |
| Total Types 11-14 | 1,185,887,189 | 1,397,415,137 | 117.84 | 1,370,265,340 | 1,515,579,715 | 110.60 |

1/ Auction sales only. Does not include carryover tobacco, nonauction sales, or direct deliveries.

Table 12 Resales, average price and percentage of gross sales, by markets, for flue-cured tobacco, 1977 and 1976 crops.

| TYPE 11 - OLD AND MIDDLE BELT FLUE-CURED    |                 |                |                  |                 |                |                  |
|---|-----------------|----------------|------------------|-----------------|----------------|------------------|
| MARKET AND STATE                            | 1 9 7 7 C R O P |                |                  | 1 9 7 6 C R O P |                |                  |
|   | RESALES         | AVERAGE PRICE  | PERCENT OF GROSS | RESALES         | AVERAGE PRICE  | PERCENT OF GROSS |
|   | <u>Pounds</u>   | <u>Dollars</u> | <u>Percent</u>   | <u>Pounds</u>   | <u>Dollars</u> | <u>Percent</u>   |
| Virginia:                                   |                 |                |                  |                 |                |                  |
| Brookneal                                   | 540,489         | 112.46         | 5.4              | 392,822         | 111.50         | 3.4              |
| Chase City                                  | 201,999         | 120.78         | 2.8              | 215,118         | 109.28         | 2.5              |
| Clarksville                                 | 194,295         | 127.89         | 3.2              | 197,996         | 110.50         | 2.8              |
| Danville                                    | 1,674,002       | 123.30         | 3.8              | 1,749,620       | 110.78         | 3.4              |
| Kenbridge                                   | 73,559          | 114.20         | 1.1              | 40,355          | 76.78          | .6               |
| Lawrenceville                               | 191,862         | 119.67         | 2.4              | 261,176         | 108.78         | 2.6              |
| Martinsville                                | 301,549         | 138.83         | 4.1              | 202,042         | 118.82         | 2.7              |
| Petersburg                                  | 291,351         | 133.83         | 5.1              | 196,399         | 113.79         | 2.8              |
| South Boston                                | 698,313         | 117.75         | 3.4              | 625,297         | 106.57         | 2.7              |
| South Hill                                  | 292,600         | 124.39         | 2.8              | 242,100         | 112.75         | 2.1              |
| Total Virginia                              | 4,460,019       | 122.71         | 3.5              | 4,122,925       | 110.30         | 2.8              |
| North Carolina:                             |                 |                |                  |                 |                |                  |
| Aberdeen                                    | 557,252         | 99.96          | 7.5              | 394,761         | 108.62         | 5.8              |
| Burlington                                  | 314,605         | 113.85         | 4.5              | 272,918         | 111.60         | 3.5              |
| Carthage                                    | 596,737         | 120.71         | 5.4              | 621,773         | 111.56         | 4.8              |
| Durham                                      | 1,119,411       | 115.31         | 6.3              | 1,420,111       | 108.68         | 6.2              |
| Ellerbe                                     | 249,879         | 82.95          | 12.8             | 231,502         | 108.93         | 6.2              |
| Fuquay-Varina                               | 1,406,274       | 124.12         | 5.3              | 1,310,551       | 113.94         | 4.2              |
| Greensboro                                  | 218,121         | 102.42         | 3.9              | 224,378         | 110.35         | 3.8              |
| Henderson                                   | 413,606         | 119.07         | 2.6              | 538,878         | 111.50         | 2.5              |
| Louisburg                                   | 399,522         | 119.23         | 5.1              | 522,816         | 112.90         | 4.5              |
| Madison                                     | 574,460         | 113.56         | 7.1              | 505,418         | 111.88         | 5.9              |
| Mebane                                      | 79,414          | 122.60         | 1.3              | 73,226          | 104.47         | .9               |
| Mt. Airy                                    | 932,281         | 116.64         | 7.3              | 878,495         | 112.32         | 6.5              |
| Oxford                                      | 541,190         | 101.58         | 3.4              | 581,779         | 105.66         | 2.7              |
| Reidsville                                  | 704,021         | 124.45         | 4.2              | 641,040         | 112.28         | 3.5              |
| Roxboro                                     | 549,847         | 122.25         | 3.5              | 509,236         | 110.96         | 2.6              |
| Sanford                                     | 629,973         | 116.91         | 4.5              | 586,376         | 109.67         | 3.9              |
| Stoneville                                  | 512,439         | 123.73         | 4.8              | 561,244         | 114.94         | 4.4              |
| Warrenton                                   | 364,639         | 112.65         | 4.3              | 351,829         | 107.97         | 2.9              |
| Winston-Salem                               | 3,479,273       | 123.46         | 8.0              | 3,116,974       | 113.49         | 6.9              |
| Yadkinville                                 | 344,708         | 101.21         | 5.7              | 364,926         | 114.35         | 4.7              |
| Total N. C.                                 | 13,987,652      | 117.48         | 5.4              | 13,708,231      | 111.65         | 4.5              |
| Total Type 11                               | 18,447,671      | 118.74         | 4.8              | 17,831,156      | 111.34         | 3.9              |
| TYPE 12 - EASTERN NORTH CAROLINA FLUE-CURED |                 |                |                  |                 |                |                  |
| North Carolina:                             |                 |                |                  |                 |                |                  |
| Ahoskie                                     | 359,508         | 134.52         | 4.4              | 420,597         | 113.34         | 3.5              |
| Clinton                                     | 654,380         | 121.64         | 3.9              | 723,680         | 118.30         | 3.7              |
| Dunn  | 801,868         | 114.86         | 4.9              | 608,866         | 110.85         | 3.5              |
| Farmville                                   | 1,289,150       | 116.31         | 4.9              | 1,270,165       | 115.98         | 3.7              |
| Goldsboro                                   | 1,418,213       | 121.83         | 5.3              | 1,526,620       | 117.09         | 5.0              |
| Greenville                                  | 2,050,436       | 116.10         | 5.0              | 2,418,150       | 114.15         | 4.4              |
| Kinston                                     | 1,942,565       | 112.19         | 4.1              | 1,971,534       | 112.42         | 3.7              |
| Robersonville                               | 469,769         | 116.10         | 6.6              | 666,461         | 112.13         | 5.9              |
| Rocky Mount                                 | 1,174,518       | 109.73         | 3.7              | 998,970         | 108.29         | 2.1              |
| Smithfield                                  | 928,630         | 119.15         | 4.1              | 928,944         | 117.16         | 3.8              |
| Tarboro                                     | 256,033         | 114.08         | 4.4              | 322,180         | 111.78         | 3.6              |
| Wallace                                     | 423,141         | 127.16         | 3.1              | 316,625         | 109.92         | 2.2              |
| Washington                                  | 617,885         | 132.69         | 5.9              | 636,114         | 111.76         | 4.7              |
| Wendell                                     | 381,929         | 115.02         | 3.1              | 320,251         | 113.61         | 2.3              |
| Williamston                                 | 382,096         | 133.06         | 3.5              | 396,164         | 116.56         | 2.9              |
| Wilson                                      | 4,706,782       | 119.83         | 5.8              | 4,185,347       | 115.98         | 4.2              |
| Windsor                                     | 589,438         | 128.50         | 5.8              | 664,472         | 113.70         | 5.7              |
| Total Type 12                               | 18,446,341      | 118.85         | 4.7              | 18,375,140      | 114.38         | 3.8              |

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Table 12 Resales, average price and percentage of gross sales, by markets, for flue-cured tobacco, 1977 and 1976 crops.

| TYPE 13 - SOUTH CAROLINA AND BORDER NORTH CAROLINA FLUE-CURED |                 |                |                  |                 |                |                  |
|---|-----------------|----------------|------------------|-----------------|----------------|------------------|
| MARKET AND STATE  | 1 9 7 7 C R O P |                |                  | 1 9 7 6 C R O P |                |                  |
|   | RESALES         | AVERAGE PRICE  | PERCENT OF GROSS | RESALES         | AVERAGE PRICE  | PERCENT OF GROSS |
|   | <u>Pounds</u>   | <u>Dollars</u> | <u>Percent</u>   | <u>Pounds</u>   | <u>Dollars</u> | <u>Percent</u>   |
| South Carolina:   |                 |                |                  |                 |                |                  |
| Conway  | 788,075         | 131.05         | 6.6              | 609,726         | 115.83         | 5.0              |
| Darlington  | 351,886         | 124.50         | 4.2              | 274,008         | 109.59         | 3.2              |
| Dillon  | 210,159         | 119.26         | 5.6              | 192,468         | 111.03         | 3.9              |
| Hemingway   | 566,735         | 134.05         | 6.0              | 501,966         | 115.68         | 5.5              |
| Kingstree   | 624,412         | 127.34         | 7.2              | 543,845         | 113.62         | 5.7              |
| Lake City   | 2,068,017       | 125.56         | 6.1              | 2,158,884       | 112.13         | 5.8              |
| Lamar   | 175,033         | 127.45         | 8.6              | 167,318         | 112.85         | 6.9              |
| Loris   | 696,798         | 135.02         | 6.5              | 581,978         | 115.98         | 5.1              |
| Mullins   | 2,034,639       | 127.92         | 6.3              | 1,849,290       | 115.13         | 5.0              |
| Pamplico  | 303,517         | 131.06         | 4.3              | 205,346         | 114.11         | 2.6              |
| Timmonsville  | 863,706         | 124.43         | 7.7              | 929,254         | 114.30         | 6.7              |
| Total S. C.   | 8,682,977       | 127.97         | 6.2              | 8,014,083       | 113.91         | 5.2              |
| North Carolina:   |                 |                |                  |                 |                |                  |
| Chadbourn   | 910,388         | 134.87         | 8.5              | 620,801         | 117.82         | 6.2              |
| Clarkton  | 551,984         | 127.88         | 9.4              | 436,488         | 108.05         | 6.2              |
| Fair Bluff  | 506,049         | 123.60         | 7.2              | 282,469         | 114.50         | 4.0              |
| Fairmont  | 1,604,702       | 128.43         | 6.7              | 1,645,774       | 114.13         | 5.5              |
| Fayetteville  | 177,837         | 118.22         | 5.1              | 197,082         | 109.30         | 3.9              |
| Lumberton   | 870,823         | 118.98         | 4.2              | 707,746         | 111.26         | 2.6              |
| Tabor City  | 692,412         | 128.43         | 5.6              | 697,380         | 115.31         | 5.5              |
| Whiteville  | 925,279         | 125.18         | 4.9              | 830,031         | 109.94         | 3.8              |
| Total N. C.   | 6,239,474       | 126.84         | 6.0              | 5,417,771       | 113.04         | 4.5              |
| Total Type 13   | 14,922,451      | 127.50         | 6.2              | 13,431,854      | 113.56         | 4.9              |

| TYPE 14 - GEORGIA AND FLORIDA FLUE-CURED |            |        |      |            |        |      |
|--|------------|--------|------|------------|--------|------|
| Georgia:                                 |            |        |      |            |        |      |
| Adel                                     | 433,682    | 109.31 | 6.7  | 369,854    | 108.99 | 5.9  |
| Alma                                     | 299,551    | 117.97 | 5.6  | 150,786    | 103.75 | 3.1  |
| Baxley                                   | 348,387    | 118.79 | 6.2  | 252,224    | 109.41 | 4.4  |
| Blackshear                               | 647,030    | 98.91  | 7.1  | 281,830    | 107.15 | 3.3  |
| Claxton                                  | 909,890    | 95.56  | 14.1 | 370,420    | 111.33 | 7.3  |
| Douglas                                  | 1,261,010  | 126.86 | 8.3  | 535,072    | 117.01 | 4.9  |
| Fitzgerald                               | 291,260    | 126.71 | 5.4  | 101,530    | 106.62 | 2.2  |
| Hahira                                   | 157,017    | 130.00 | 3.6  | 172,598    | 113.69 | 4.3  |
| Hazlehurst                               | 234,561    | 127.40 | 5.4  | 193,490    | 113.73 | 4.3  |
| Metter                                   | 246,926    | 121.06 | 4.7  | 229,148    | 108.25 | 3.9  |
| Moultrie                                 | 1,352,617  | 118.30 | 9.6  | 689,570    | 110.94 | 5.7  |
| Nashville                                | 867,990    | 117.98 | 7.4  | 450,190    | 113.12 | 4.8  |
| Pearson                                  | 132,097    | 115.41 | 9.8  | 219,066    | 114.44 | 10.5 |
| Pelham                                   | 572,052    | 119.42 | 7.9  | 398,552    | 106.16 | 4.7  |
| Quitman                                  | 79,741     | 117.38 | 3.9  | 80,720     | 108.37 | 3.8  |
| Statesboro                               | 667,664    | 104.78 | 9.0  | 302,967    | 101.12 | 5.3  |
| Sylvester                                | 15,362     | 111.05 | 6.3  | 31,920     | 102.81 | 3.9  |
| Thomasville                              | 333,142    | 132.56 | 12.6 | 221,132    | 114.24 | 6.0  |
| Tifton                                   | 683,879    | 118.21 | 6.7  | 398,342    | 112.12 | 4.6  |
| Valdosta                                 | 439,411    | 114.22 | 5.8  | 243,859    | 100.31 | 4.0  |
| Vidalia                                  | 811,650    | 113.97 | 9.3  | 564,738    | 113.32 | 5.8  |
| Waycross                                 | 338,051    | 122.36 | 7.0  | 237,098    | 115.73 | 5.0  |
| Total GA.                                | 11,122,970 | 115.82 | 7.6  | 6,495,106  | 110.57 | 4.9  |
| Florida:                                 |            |        |      |            |        |      |
| High Springs                             | 112,639    | 118.07 | 3.7  | 113,548    | 113.22 | 3.1  |
| Jasper                                   | 148,901    | 129.68 | 4.6  | 231,082    | 114.80 | 4.8  |
| Lake City                                | 332,748    | 125.64 | 7.3  | 151,953    | 107.18 | 2.3  |
| Live Oak                                 | 852,353    | 130.11 | 8.3  | 634,764    | 113.49 | 5.4  |
| Madison                                  | 96,652     | 131.62 | 3.9  | 83,584     | 115.97 | 2.9  |
| Total FL.                                | 1,543,293  | 128.32 | 6.5  | 1,214,931  | 113.10 | 4.2  |
| Total Type 14                            | 12,666,263 | 117.34 | 7.5  | 7,710,037  | 110.97 | 4.7  |
| Total Types 11-14                        | 64,482,726 | 120.52 | 5.4  | 57,348,187 | 112.78 | 4.2  |

Table 13 Producers' sales, resales, gross sales, value, and average price, by types, for flue-cured tobacco, 1977 and 1976 crops.

| Type and Form of Sales | 1 9 7 7 C R O P |               |               | 1 9 7 6 C R O P |               |               |
|------------------------|-----------------|---------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------|---------------|
|                        | SALES           | VALUE         | AVERAGE PRICE | SALES           | VALUE         | AVERAGE PRICE |
|                        | Pounds          | Dollars       | Dollars       | Pounds          | Dollars       | Dollars       |
| 11 Producers'          | 366,808,557     | 417,330,219   | 113.77        | 434,999,525     | 465,350,359   | 106.98        |
| Resales                | 18,447,671      | 21,904,934    | 118.74        | 17,831,156      | 19,853,544    | 111.34        |
| Gross                  | 385,256,228     | 439,235,153   | 114.01        | 452,830,681     | 485,203,903   | 107.15        |
| 12 Producers'          | 370,468,041     | 439,097,186   | 118.52        | 461,764,674     | 521,621,734   | 112.96        |
| Resales                | 18,446,341      | 21,923,535    | 118.85        | 18,375,140      | 21,016,802    | 114.38        |
| Gross                  | 388,914,382     | 461,020,721   | 118.54        | 480,139,814     | 542,638,536   | 113.02        |
| 13 Producers'          | 227,599,029     | 282,038,620   | 123.92        | 261,101,557     | 293,115,049   | 112.26        |
| Resales                | 14,922,451      | 19,025,952    | 127.50        | 13,431,854      | 15,253,390    | 113.56        |
| Gross                  | 242,521,480     | 301,064,572   | 124.14        | 274,533,411     | 308,368,439   | 112.32        |
| 14 Producers'          | 156,528,836     | 181,232,258   | 115.78        | 155,051,397     | 170,813,390   | 110.17        |
| Resales                | 12,666,263      | 14,862,433    | 117.34        | 7,710,037       | 8,555,447     | 110.97        |
| Gross                  | 169,195,099     | 196,094,691   | 115.90        | 162,761,434     | 179,368,837   | 110.20        |
| 11-14 Producers'       | 1,121,404,463   | 1,319,698,283 | 117.68        | 1,312,917,153   | 1,450,900,532 | 110.51        |
| Resales                | 64,482,726      | 77,716,854    | 120.52        | 57,348,187      | 64,679,183    | 112.78        |
| Gross                  | 1,185,887,189   | 1,397,415,137 | 117.84        | 1,370,265,340   | 1,515,579,715 | 110.60        |

Table 14 Producers' sales, resales, gross sales, value, and average price, by STATES, for flue-cured tobacco, 1977 and 1976 crops.

| State and Form of Sales      | 1 9 7 7 C R O P |               |               | 1 9 7 6 C R O P |               |               |
|------------------------------|-----------------|---------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------|---------------|
|                              | SALES           | VALUE         | AVERAGE PRICE | SALES           | VALUE         | AVERAGE PRICE |
|                              | Pounds          | Dollars       | Dollars       | Pounds          | Dollars       | Dollars       |
| Florida: Producers'          | 22,066,002      | 26,739,711    | 121.18        | 27,747,759      | 30,425,883    | 109.65        |
| Resales                      | 1,543,293       | 1,980,329     | 128.32        | 1,214,931       | 1,374,067     | 113.10        |
| Gross                        | 23,609,295      | 28,720,040    | 121.65        | 28,962,690      | 31,799,950    | 109.80        |
| Georgia: Producers'          | 134,462,834     | 154,492,547   | 114.90        | 127,303,638     | 140,387,507   | 110.28        |
| Resales                      | 11,122,970      | 12,882,104    | 115.82        | 6,495,106       | 7,181,380     | 110.57        |
| Gross                        | 145,585,804     | 167,374,651   | 114.97        | 133,798,744     | 147,568,887   | 110.29        |
| North Carolina: Producers'   | 712,341,786     | 833,953,533   | 117.07        | 870,081,484     | 966,317,860   | 111.06        |
| Resales                      | 38,673,467      | 46,269,789    | 119.64        | 37,501,142      | 42,446,567    | 113.19        |
| Gross                        | 751,015,253     | 880,223,322   | 117.20        | 907,582,626     | 1,008,764,427 | 111.15        |
| South Carolina: Producers'   | 130,633,076     | 160,982,139   | 123.23        | 146,154,824     | 163,895,718   | 112.14        |
| Resales                      | 8,682,977       | 11,111,924    | 127.97        | 8,014,083       | 9,129,105     | 113.91        |
| Gross                        | 139,316,053     | 172,094,063   | 123.53        | 154,168,907     | 173,024,823   | 112.23        |
| Virginia: Producers'         | 121,900,765     | 143,530,353   | 117.74        | 141,629,448     | 149,873,564   | 105.82        |
| Resales                      | 4,460,019       | 5,472,708     | 122.71        | 4,122,925       | 4,548,064     | 110.31        |
| Gross                        | 126,360,784     | 149,003,061   | 117.92        | 145,752,373     | 154,421,628   | 105.95        |
| Total All States: Producers' | 1,121,404,463   | 1,319,698,283 | 117.68        | 1,312,917,153   | 1,450,900,532 | 110.51        |
| Resales                      | 64,482,726      | 77,716,854    | 120.52        | 57,348,187      | 64,679,183    | 112.78        |
| Gross                        | 1,185,887,189   | 1,397,415,137 | 117.84        | 1,370,265,340   | 1,515,579,715 | 110.60        |

Table 15 Across-state-line movement of flue-cured tobacco, reflecting net sales in states other than in the state in which produced, 1977 and 1976 crops.

| State in which produced, and crop year | Total Sold Out of State | S O L D I N : |         |                |                |          |
|--|-------------------------|---------------|---------|----------------|----------------|----------|
|  |                         | Florida       | Georgia | South Carolina | North Carolina | Virginia |
| 1977 CROP                              |                         |               |         |                |                |          |
| Alabama                                | 1,010                   |               | 1,010   |                |                |          |
| Florida                                | 2,800                   |               | 2,800   |                |                |          |
| Georgia                                | 1,129                   | 1,082         |         | 47             |                |          |
| South Carolina                         | 12,672                  |               | 1,185   |                | 11,485         | 2        |
| North Carolina                         | 24,743                  |               |         | 4,869          |                | 19,874   |
| Virginia                               | 6,687                   |               |         |                | 6,687          |          |
| TOTAL                                  | 49,041                  | 1,082         | 4,995   | 4,916          | 18,172         | 19,876   |
| 1976 CROP                              |                         |               |         |                |                |          |
| Alabama                                | 1,084                   |               | 1,084   |                |                |          |
| Florida                                | 3,207                   |               | 3,167   | 40             |                |          |
| Georgia                                | 1,395                   | 1,302         |         | 93             |                |          |
| South Carolina                         | 13,620                  |               | 1,042   |                | 12,575         | 3        |
| North Carolina                         | 30,960                  |               |         | 6,337          |                | 24,623   |
| Virginia                               | 7,202                   |               |         |                | 7,202          |          |
| TOTAL                                  | 57,468                  | 1,302         | 5,293   | 6,470          | 19,777         | 24,626   |

Table 16 Flue-cured tobacco received by the Stabilization Corporation and percentage of NET AUCTION SALES 1974-1977 Crops 1/

| Crop | TYPE 11                 |                         | TYPE 12                 |                         |
|------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
|      | Receipts (green weight) | Percentage of net sales | Receipts (green weight) | Percentage of net sales |
|      | 1,000 lbs.              | Percent                 | 1,000 lbs.              | Percent                 |
| 1974 | 5,058                   | 1.4                     | 8,032                   | 2.0                     |
| 1975 | 83,242                  | 20.8                    | 90,284                  | 17.8                    |
| 1976 | 134,846                 | 31.0                    | 80,191                  | 17.4                    |
| 1977 | 107,612                 | 29.3                    | 54,602                  | 14.7                    |
| 1978 |                         |                         |                         |                         |
| 1979 |                         |                         |                         |                         |
| 1980 |                         |                         |                         |                         |
| 1981 |                         |                         |                         |                         |
| 1982 |                         |                         |                         |                         |
| 1983 |                         |                         |                         |                         |
| 1984 |                         |                         |                         |                         |

| CROP | TYPE 13                 |                         | TYPE 14                 |                          | TYPES 11-14             |                          |
|------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|
|      | Receipts (green weight) | Percentage of net sales | Receipts (green weight) | Percentages of net sales | Receipts (green weight) | Percentages of net sales |
|      | 1,000 lbs.              | Percent                 | 1,000 lbs.              | Percent                  | 1,000 lbs.              | Percent                  |
| 1974 | 7,533                   | 2.7                     | 2,364                   | 1.3                      | 22,988                  | 1.9                      |
| 1975 | 56,581                  | 17.6                    | 28,922                  | 15.9                     | 259,029                 | 18.4                     |
| 1976 | 37,198                  | 14.2                    | 24,667                  | 15.9                     | 276,902                 | 21.1                     |
| 1977 | 20,356                  | 8.9                     | 19,515                  | 6.7                      | 193,085                 | 17.2                     |
| 1978 |                         |                         |                         |                          |                         |                          |
| 1979 |                         |                         |                         |                          |                         |                          |
| 1980 |                         |                         |                         |                          |                         |                          |
| 1981 |                         |                         |                         |                          |                         |                          |
| 1982 |                         |                         |                         |                          |                         |                          |
| 1983 |                         |                         |                         |                          |                         |                          |
| 1984 |                         |                         |                         |                          |                         |                          |

1/ Data for years prior to 1974 may be found in the 1976 and earlier issues of the Market Review.

BRIEF OF FLUE-CURED TOBACCO GRADES

Type 11. Old Belt and Middle Belt Flue-cured tobacco produced principally in the Piedmont sections of Virginia and North Carolina.

Type 12. Eastern North Carolina Flue-cured tobacco produced principally in the coastal sections of North Carolina.

Type 13. South Carolina and Border North Carolina Flue-cured tobacco produced principally in the coastal sections of South Carolina and the southeastern counties of North Carolina.

Type 14. Georgia and Florida Flue-cured tobacco produced principally in southern Georgia and northern Florida.

KEY TO STANDARD GRADEMARKS

| Group            | Qualities  | Color Symbols                   |                          | Combination Symbols           |
|------------------|------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|
| A - Wrappers     | 1 - Choice | L - Lemon                       | V - Greenish             | XL - Lug side                 |
| B - Leaf         | 2 - Fine   | F - Orange                      | GR - Green red           | PO - Oxidized Primings        |
| H - Smoking Leaf | 3 - Good   | FR - Orange red                 | CK - Green variegated    | XO - Oxidized Lugs or Cutters |
| C - Cutters      | 4 - Fair   | R - Red                         | GG - Gray green          | BO - Oxidized Leaf            |
| X - Lugs         | 5 - Low    | K - Variegated                  | KL - Variegated lemon    | GL - Thin-bodied              |
| P - Primings     | 6 - Poor   | KR - Variegated Red or Scorched | KF - Variegated orange   | Nondescript                   |
| M - Mixed Group  |            | G - Green                       | KV - Variegated greenish | GF - Medium-bodied            |
| N - Nondescript  |            |                                 | KM - Variegated mixed    | Nondescript                   |
| S - Scrap        |            |                                 |                          |                               |

Special Symbol

S - Slick

SUMMARY OF STANDARD GRADES

| 2 Grades of Wrappers                   |      | 24 Grades of Leaf    |      |                      |      | 16 Grades of Smoking Leaf |      |      |      | 10 Grades of Cutters         |      |      |      |
|--|------|----------------------|------|----------------------|------|---------------------------|------|------|------|------------------------------|------|------|------|
| A1L                                    | A1F  | B1L                  | B1F  | B1FR                 |      |                           |      | H1F  |      |                              | C1L  | C1F  |      |
|  |      | B2L                  | B2F  | B2FR                 |      |                           |      | H2F  |      |                              | C2L  | C2F  |      |
|  |      | B3L                  | B3F  | B3FR                 | B3K  |                           |      | H3L  | H3F  |                              | C3L  | C3F  |      |
|  |      | B4L                  | B4F  | B4FR                 | B4R  | B4K                       |      | H4L  | H4F  | H4FR                         | H4K  | C4L  | C4F  |
|  |      | B5L                  | B5F  | B5FR                 | B5R  | B5K                       |      | H5L  | H5F  | H5FR                         | H5K  | C5L  | C5F  |
|  |      | B6L                  | B6F  | B6FR                 | B6K  |                           |      | H6L  | H6F  | H6FR                         | H6K  |      |      |
| 10 Grades of Lugs                      |      | 8 Grades of Primings |      | 6 Grades of Greenish |      | 15 Grades of Variegated   |      |      |      |                              |      |      |      |
| X1L                                    | X1F  |                      |      |                      |      |                           |      |      |      |                              |      |      |      |
| X2L                                    | X2F  | P2L                  | P2F  |                      |      |                           |      |      |      |                              |      |      |      |
| X3L                                    | X3F  | P3L                  | P3F  | B3V                  | X3V  | B3KL                      | B3KF |      |      |                              |      |      |      |
| X4L                                    | X4F  | P4L                  | P4F  | B4V                  | C4V  | X4V                       | B4KL | B4KF | B4KV | C4KL                         | X4KL | X4KF | X4KV |
| X5L                                    | X5F  | P5L                  | P5F  | B5V                  |      |                           | B5KL | B5KF | B5KV |                              |      |      |      |
|  |      |                      |      |                      |      |                           | B6KL | B6KF | B6KV |                              |      |      |      |
| 7 Grades of Mixed                      |      |                      |      | 15 Grades of Green   |      |                           |      |      |      | 7 Grades of Variegated Mixed |      |      |      |
| M4F                                    | M4KR | M4KM                 | M4GK | B4G                  |      | B4GK                      | C4G  | X4G  | X4GK | P4G                          | B3KM | X3KM |      |
| M5F                                    |      | M5KM                 | M5GK | B5G                  | B5GR | B5GK                      | B5GG | C4GK | X5G  | P5G                          | B4KM | C4KM | X4KM |
|  |      |                      |      | B6G                  |      | B6GK                      |      |      |      |                              | B5KM |      |      |
|  |      |                      |      |                      |      |                           |      |      |      |                              | B6KM |      |      |
| 6 Grades of Variegated Red or Scorched |      |                      |      | 5 Grades of Slick    |      | 13 Grades of Nondescript  |      |      |      | 1 Grade of Scrap             |      |      |      |
| B3KR                                   |      | X3KR                 |      | B3S                  | C4S  | N1L                       | N1R  | N1KV | N1PO |                              | S    |      |      |
| B4KR                                   | C4KR | X4KR                 |      | B4S                  | X3S  | N1XL                      | N1GL | N1GR | N1XO |                              |      |      |      |
| B5KR                                   |      |                      |      | B5S                  |      | N1K                       | N1GF | N1GG | N1BO | N2                           |      |      |      |

Special factors "U" (unsound) and "W" (doubtful-keeping order) may be applied to all grades. Tobacco not covered by the standard grades is designated "No-G" or "No-G-F."

Special factors "sand" or "dirt" may be applied to all priming grades and to first quality nondescript from the priming group for the 1977 crop only.

Table 17 Season average prices per 100 pounds of tobacco by types, in the flue-cured area, and schedule of loan rates, 1977 crop. 1/

| Group and Grade <u>2/</u> | 1 9 7 7 C R O P |         |         |         |       | Loan Rate <u>3/</u><br>11 - 14 | Group and Grade <u>2/</u> |
|---------------------------|-----------------|---------|---------|---------|-------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|
|                           | SEASON AVERAGES |         |         |         |       |                                |                           |
|                           | Type 11         | Type 12 | Type 13 | Type 14 | 11-14 |                                |                           |
| <b>Wrappers:</b>          |                 |         |         |         |       |                                | <b>Wrappers:</b>          |
| A1L                       | --              | --      | --      | --      | --    | 146                            | A1L                       |
| A1F                       | --              | --      | --      | --      | --    | 146                            | A1F                       |
| <b>Leaf:</b>              |                 |         |         |         |       |                                | <b>Leaf:</b>              |
| B1L                       | 179             | (173)   | --      | --      | 178   | 136                            | B1L                       |
| B2L                       | 165             | 163     | 162     | --      | 164   | 132                            | B2L                       |
| B3L                       | 157             | 150     | 151     | 135     | 151   | 129                            | B3L                       |
| B4L                       | 154             | 147     | 146     | 138     | 147   | 125                            | B4L                       |
| B5L                       | 150             | 143     | 149     | 139     | 146   | 121                            | B5L                       |
| B6L                       | --              | --      | --      | --      | (124) | 116                            | B6L                       |
| B1F                       | 172             | 174     | --      | --      | 172   | 136                            | B1F                       |
| B2F                       | 164             | 157     | 154     | 139     | 159   | 132                            | B2F                       |
| B3F                       | 159             | 154     | 154     | 139     | 154   | 129                            | B3F                       |
| B4F                       | 155             | 151     | 151     | 139     | 151   | 125                            | B4F                       |
| B5F                       | 146             | 151     | 149     | 141     | 147   | 121                            | B5F                       |
| B6F                       | 129             | 146     | 139     | 137     | 137   | 116                            | B6F                       |
| B1FR                      | --              | --      | --      | --      | --    | 134                            | B1FR                      |
| B2FR                      | (165)           | --      | --      | --      | 164   | 130                            | B2FR                      |
| B3FR                      | 156             | 155     | --      | --      | 156   | 127                            | B3FR                      |
| B4FR                      | 155             | 153     | 155     | 139     | 153   | 124                            | B4FR                      |
| B5FR                      | 142             | 146     | 150     | 138     | 146   | 120                            | B5FR                      |
| B6FR                      | (124)           | 132     | --      | --      | 130   | 115                            | B6FR                      |
| B4R                       | 119             | (130)   | --      | --      | 124   | 116                            | B4R                       |
| B5R                       | 112             | 117     | 119     | --      | 113   | 110                            | B5R                       |
| B3K                       | 150             | 152     | 150     | 141     | 150   | 124                            | B3K                       |
| B4K                       | 139             | 146     | 145     | 140     | 142   | 120                            | B4K                       |
| B5K                       | 127             | 137     | 135     | 137     | 133   | 116                            | B5K                       |
| B6K                       | 115             | 125     | 126     | 129     | 123   | 111                            | B6K                       |
| B3KR                      | 151             | 150     | 148     | 139     | 148   | 123                            | B3KR                      |
| B4KR                      | 146             | 147     | 145     | 140     | 145   | 119                            | B4KR                      |
| B5KR                      | 128             | 138     | 140     | 137     | 136   | 115                            | B5KR                      |
| B3V                       | 151             | 143     | 146     | 136     | 146   | 120                            | B3V                       |
| B4V                       | 146             | 145     | 143     | 138     | 144   | 115                            | B4V                       |
| B5V                       | 135             | 141     | 140     | 138     | 138   | 111                            | B5V                       |
| B3S                       | (158)           | (142)   | 155     | --      | 152   | 117                            | B3S                       |
| B4S                       | --              | (143)   | 150     | --      | 148   | 113                            | B4S                       |
| B5S                       | --              | --      | --      | --      | --    | 109                            | B5S                       |
| B3KL                      | 151             | 151     | 150     | --      | 150   | 117                            | B3KL                      |
| B4KL                      | 138             | 147     | 147     | 139     | 143   | 113                            | B4KL                      |
| B5KL                      | 121             | 142     | 141     | 130     | 131   | 110                            | B5KL                      |
| B6KL                      | 112             | --      | 123     | 127     | 117   | 105                            | B6KL                      |
| B3KF                      | 145             | 151     | 153     | 142     | 147   | 117                            | B3KF                      |
| B4KF                      | 130             | 143     | 139     | 140     | 136   | 113                            | B4KF                      |
| B5KF                      | 117             | 126     | 125     | 133     | 122   | 110                            | B5KF                      |
| B6KF                      | 107             | 112     | 113     | 121     | 110   | 105                            | B6KF                      |
| B4KV                      | 134             | 139     | 139     | 136     | 137   | 109                            | B4KV                      |
| B5KV                      | 120             | 129     | 128     | 132     | 126   | 105                            | B5KV                      |
| B6KV                      | 107             | 116     | 115     | 126     | 113   | 100                            | B6KV                      |
| B3KM                      | 147             | 149     | 146     | 139     | 146   | 120                            | B3KM                      |
| B4KM                      | 140             | 145     | 144     | 138     | 142   | 117                            | B4KM                      |
| B5KM                      | 126             | 137     | 135     | 136     | 133   | 113                            | B5KM                      |
| B6KM                      | 111             | 123     | 125     | 129     | 121   | 107                            | B6KM                      |
| B4G                       | 132             | 133     | 133     | 132     | 133   | 110                            | B4G                       |
| B5G                       | 122             | 128     | 128     | 127     | 126   | 106                            | B5G                       |
| B6G                       | 106             | 119     | 121     | 114     | 113   | 101                            | B6G                       |
| B5GR                      | 100             | 107     | (113)   | 113     | 103   | 98                             | B5GR                      |
| B4GK                      | 128             | 134     | 133     | 132     | 131   | 107                            | B4GK                      |
| B5GK                      | 114             | 123     | 124     | 126     | 120   | 103                            | B5GK                      |
| B6GK                      | 102             | 111     | 114     | 116     | 108   | 98                             | B6GK                      |
| B5GG                      | 98              | 112     | 122     | (126)   | 114   | 94                             | B5GG                      |

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Table 17 Season average prices per 100 pounds of tobacco by types, in the flue-cured area, and schedule of loan rates, 1977 crop. 1/

| Group and Grade <u>2/</u> | 1 9 7 7 C R O P |         |         |         |       | Loan Rate <u>3/</u><br>11 - 14 | Group and Grade <u>2/</u> |
|---------------------------|-----------------|---------|---------|---------|-------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|
|                           | SEASON AVERAGES |         |         |         |       |                                |                           |
|                           | Type 11         | Type 12 | Type 13 | Type 14 | 11-14 |                                |                           |
| <b>Smoking Leaf:</b>      |                 |         |         |         |       |                                | <b>Smoking Leaf:</b>      |
| H3L                       | 166             | 150     | --      | --      | 157   | 131                            | H3L                       |
| H4L                       | 154             | 154     | 151     | (138)   | 152   | 128                            | H4L                       |
| H5L                       | (151)           | 160     | (157)   | --      | 155   | 123                            | H5L                       |
| H6L                       | --              | --      | --      | --      | --    | 118                            | H6L                       |
| H1F                       | --              | --      | --      | --      | --    | 138                            | H1F                       |
| H2F                       | --              | (161)   | --      | --      | (162) | 134                            | H2F                       |
| H3F                       | 160             | 157     | 151     | 138     | 156   | 131                            | H3F                       |
| H4F                       | 160             | 153     | 149     | 139     | 154   | 128                            | H4F                       |
| H5F                       | 153             | 152     | 151     | 142     | 150   | 123                            | H5F                       |
| H6F                       | 135             | --      | 153     | --      | 142   | 118                            | H6F                       |
| H4FR                      | (148)           | 153     | --      | --      | 151   | 126                            | H4FR                      |
| H5FR                      | --              | 152     | --      | 140     | 145   | 121                            | H5FR                      |
| H6FR                      | 141             | --      | --      | --      | 142   | 116                            | H6FR                      |
| H4K                       | 147             | 149     | 149     | 140     | 147   | 124                            | H4K                       |
| H5K                       | 140             | 144     | 147     | 140     | 143   | 119                            | H5K                       |
| H6K                       | 125             | 135     | 141     | 136     | 134   | 114                            | H6K                       |
| <b>Cutters:</b>           |                 |         |         |         |       |                                | <b>Cutters:</b>           |
| C1L                       | --              | --      | --      | --      | (151) | 135                            | C1L                       |
| C2L                       | 174             | 159     | 161     | --      | 167   | 132                            | C2L                       |
| C3L                       | 153             | 154     | 146     | 136     | 151   | 129                            | C3L                       |
| C4L                       | 150             | 146     | 146     | 133     | 146   | 126                            | C4L                       |
| C5L                       | 144             | 143     | 142     | 132     | 141   | 122                            | C5L                       |
| C1F                       | --              | --      | --      | --      | --    | 135                            | C1F                       |
| C2F                       | 167             | 165     | --      | --      | 165   | 132                            | C2F                       |
| C3F                       | 156             | 150     | 151     | 139     | 152   | 129                            | C3F                       |
| C4F                       | 151             | 147     | 146     | 135     | 147   | 126                            | C4F                       |
| C5F                       | 149             | 147     | 147     | 134     | 146   | 122                            | C5F                       |
| C4KR                      | 145             | 145     | 141     | 134     | 142   | 121                            | C4KR                      |
| C4V                       | 142             | 142     | 139     | 131     | 140   | 117                            | C4V                       |
| C4S                       | --              | (156)   | 153     | --      | 154   | 116                            | C4S                       |
| C4KL                      | 146             | (154)   | 145     | 132     | 145   | 116                            | C4KL                      |
| C4KM                      | 143             | 149     | 141     | 133     | 144   | 117                            | C4KM                      |
| C4G                       | 132             | 130     | 132     | 128     | 131   | 111                            | C4G                       |
| C4GK                      | 132             | 134     | 134     | 123     | 132   | 109                            | C4GK                      |
| <b>Lugs:</b>              |                 |         |         |         |       |                                | <b>Lugs:</b>              |
| X1L                       | 154             | 141     | 138     | --      | 146   | 131                            | X1L                       |
| X2L                       | 151             | 144     | 142     | 131     | 144   | 127                            | X2L                       |
| X3L                       | 142             | 143     | 139     | 131     | 140   | 122                            | X3L                       |
| X4L                       | 136             | 138     | 132     | 131     | 135   | 117                            | X4L                       |
| X5L                       | 128             | 129     | 123     | 127     | 127   | 109                            | X5L                       |
| X1F                       | 160             | 146     | --      | --      | 151   | 131                            | X1F                       |
| X2F                       | 154             | 148     | 145     | (134)   | 150   | 127                            | X2F                       |
| X3F                       | 149             | 142     | 142     | 132     | 144   | 122                            | X3F                       |
| X4F                       | 142             | 139     | 141     | 133     | 140   | 117                            | X4F                       |
| X5F                       | 130             | 132     | 131     | 129     | 130   | 109                            | X5F                       |
| X3KR                      | 138             | 137     | 138     | 131     | 137   | 119                            | X3KR                      |
| X4KR                      | 140             | 135     | 134     | 129     | 134   | 114                            | X4KR                      |
| X3V                       | 138             | 135     | 132     | 130     | 135   | 114                            | X3V                       |
| X4V                       | 133             | 131     | 129     | 127     | 131   | 109                            | X4V                       |
| X3S                       | --              | 137     | 128     | (120)   | 129   | 113                            | X3S                       |
| X4KL                      | 124             | 128     | 130     | 116     | 126   | 109                            | X4KL                      |
| X4KF                      | 126             | 130     | 132     | 127     | 129   | 109                            | X4KF                      |
| X4KV                      | 124             | 126     | 125     | 125     | 125   | 104                            | X4KV                      |
| X3KM                      | 140             | 144     | 135     | 127     | 139   | 116                            | X3KM                      |
| X4KM                      | 134             | 136     | 132     | 126     | 133   | 110                            | X4KM                      |
| X4GK                      | 120             | 123     | 118     | 117     | 119   | 102                            | X4GK                      |
| X4G                       | 119             | 119     | 117     | 117     | 118   | 102                            | X4G                       |
| X5G                       | 110             | 113     | 109     | 112     | 111   | 98                             | X5G                       |

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Table 17 Season average prices per 100 pounds of tobacco by types, in the flue-cured area, and schedule of loan rates, 1977 crop. 1/

| Group and Grade <u>2/</u> | 1 9 7 7 C R O P |         |         |         |       | Loan Rate <u>3/</u><br>11 - 14 | Group and Grade <u>2/</u> |
|---------------------------|-----------------|---------|---------|---------|-------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|
|                           | SEASON AVERAGES |         |         |         |       |                                |                           |
|                           | Type 11         | Type 12 | Type 13 | Type 14 | 11-14 |                                |                           |
| Primings:                 |                 |         |         |         |       |                                | Primings:                 |
| P2L                       | (129)           | 130     | 125     | (127)   | 128   | 107                            | P2L                       |
| P2L Sand                  | --              | (125)   | --      | --      | (125) | 96                             | P2L Sand                  |
| P3L                       | 128             | 127     | 124     | 125     | 126   | 102                            | P3L                       |
| P3L Sand                  | 116             | 112     | 116     | --      | 114   | 92                             | P3L Sand                  |
| P4L                       | 117             | 118     | 116     | 117     | 117   | 96                             | P4L                       |
| P4L Sand                  | 104             | 105     | 103     | 106     | 104   | 86                             | P4L Sand                  |
| P5L                       | 105             | 106     | 105     | 106     | 105   | 91                             | P5L                       |
| P5L Sand                  | 93              | 94      | 93      | 95      | 94    | 82                             | P5L Sand                  |
| P2F                       | --              | (124)   | --      | --      | 125   | 107                            | P2F                       |
| P2F Sand                  | --              | --      | --      | --      | --    | 96                             | P2F Sand                  |
| P3F                       | 130             | 131     | 126     | 128     | 129   | 102                            | P3F                       |
| P3F Sand                  | 134             | 115     | 106     | --      | 121   | 92                             | P3F Sand                  |
| P4F                       | 121             | 119     | 117     | 116     | 119   | 96                             | P4F                       |
| P4F Sand                  | 113             | 104     | 103     | 102     | 106   | 86                             | P4F Sand                  |
| P5F                       | 106             | 107     | 107     | 108     | 107   | 91                             | P5F                       |
| P5F Sand                  | 96              | 94      | 92      | 96      | 95    | 82                             | P5F Sand                  |
| P4G                       | 101             | 103     | 102     | 103     | 102   | 87                             | P4G                       |
| P4G Sand                  | 96              | 94      | 94      | 93      | 94    | 78                             | P4G Sand                  |
| P5G                       | 91              | 94      | 91      | 94      | 92    | 81                             | P5G                       |
| P5G Sand                  | 83              | 87      | 83      | 83      | 84    | 73                             | P5G Sand                  |
| Mixed:                    |                 |         |         |         |       |                                | Mixed:                    |
| M4F                       | (127)           | 130     | 143     | --      | 139   | 111                            | M4F                       |
| M5F                       | 100             | 135     | 125     | --      | 121   | 107                            | M5F                       |
| M4KR                      | --              | --      | --      | --      | --    | 106                            | M4KR                      |
| M4KM                      | --              | 136     | (127)   | --      | 133   | 104                            | M4KM                      |
| M5KM                      | --              | 128     | --      | (113)   | 125   | 100                            | M5KM                      |
| M4GK                      | 125             | (143)   | 120     | --      | 126   | 99                             | M4GK                      |
| M5GK                      | 101             | 111     | 111     | (111)   | 108   | 94                             | M5GK                      |
| Nondescript:              |                 |         |         |         |       |                                | Nondescript:              |
| N1L                       | 90              | 93      | 93      | 96      | 92    | 83                             | N1L                       |
| N1L Sand                  | 82              | 83      | 80      | 85      | 83    | 75                             | N1L Sand                  |
| N1XL                      | 104             | 111     | 110     | 120     | 109   | 88                             | N1XL                      |
| N1K                       | <b>98</b>       | 110     | 110     | 120     | 107   | 94                             | N1K                       |
| N1R                       | <b>86</b>       | 90      | 94      | 97      | 89    | 85                             | N1R                       |
| N1GL                      | 85              | 90      | 87      | 92      | 87    | 77                             | N1GL                      |
| N1GL Sand                 | 75              | 77      | 74      | 78      | 76    | 69                             | N1GL Sand                 |
| N1GF                      | 91              | 103     | 101     | 105     | 98    | 86                             | N1GF                      |
| N1KV                      | 90              | 102     | 102     | 115     | 99    | 85                             | N1KV                      |
| N1GR                      | 83              | 88      | 96      | 95      | 85    | 81                             | N1GR                      |
| N1GG                      | 88              | 88      | ( 94)   | --      | 90    | 78                             | N1GG                      |
| N1PO                      | 84              | 86      | 85      | 93      | 86    | 72                             | N1PO                      |
| N1PO Sand                 | 73              | 77      | 79      | 84      | 78    | 65                             | N1PO Sand                 |
| N1XO                      | 104             | 109     | 109     | 120     | 110   | 75                             | N1XO                      |
| N1BO                      | 86              | 103     | 106     | 120     | 103   | 77                             | N1BO                      |
| N2                        | 65              | 51      | 56      | 67      | 59    | 0                              | N2                        |
| NOG                       | 54              | 67      | 62      | 76      | 68    | 0                              | NOG                       |
| NOG-F Sand                | 63              | 69      | 76      | 80      | 73    | 0                              | NOG-F Sand                |
| "W"                       | 65              | 72      | 97      | 105     | 94    | 0                              | "W"                       |
| "U"                       | 62              | 73      | 84      | 93      | 82    | 0                              | "U"                       |

1/ Averages based on auction sales. Averages are shown in parentheses when at least 10 but less than 20 lots were recorded.

2/ For key to standard grademarks see brief of classification on page 24.

3/ Commodity Credit Corporation loans made available through the Flue-Cured Cooperative Stabilization Corporation, Raleigh, North Carolina.

Table 16  
 TYPE 11  
 Average prices by weeks, on representative grades, and season averages, 1977 and 1976 crops. 1/

| Group and Grade 2/ | W E E K E N D I N G |             |              |              |              |             |             |              |              |              |     |
|--------------------|---------------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----|
|                    | Jul. :<br>28        | Aug. :<br>4 | Aug. :<br>11 | Aug. :<br>18 | Aug. :<br>25 | Sep. :<br>1 | Sep. :<br>8 | Sep. :<br>15 | Sep. :<br>22 | Sep. :<br>29 |     |
| LEAF               | B4L                 | -           | -            | -            | -            | 138         | 144         | 148          | 151          | 158          | 159 |
|                    | B3F                 | -           | -            | -            | -            | 140         | 144         | 148          | 152          | 157          | 163 |
|                    | B4F                 | -           | -            | -            | 138          | 139         | 143         | 147          | 151          | 155          | 159 |
|                    | B5F                 | -           | -            | -            | -            | 137         | 143         | 147          | 148          | 152          | 153 |
|                    | B4K                 | -           | -            | -            | 135          | 135         | 141         | 145          | 145          | 145          | 143 |
|                    | B5K                 | -           | -            | -            | 136          | 132         | 138         | 139          | 138          | 135          | 132 |
|                    | B6K                 | -           | -            | -            | -            | -           | 123         | 126          | 129          | 120          | 121 |
|                    | B4V                 | -           | -            | -            | 137          | 137         | 141         | 145          | 148          | 151          | 153 |
|                    | B5V                 | -           | -            | -            | -            | 136         | 140         | 142          | 146          | 146          | 136 |
|                    | B3KF                | -           | -            | -            | -            | -           | 143         | 147          | 148          | 149          | 153 |
|                    | B4KF                | -           | -            | -            | -            | -           | 139         | 143          | 143          | 140          | 141 |
|                    | B5KF                | -           | -            | -            | -            | 126         | 134         | 134          | 135          | 130          | 125 |
|                    | B6KF                | -           | -            | -            | -            | 127         | -           | 118          | 119          | 114          | 111 |
|                    | B4KV                | -           | -            | -            | 128          | 133         | 137         | 142          | 140          | 140          | 138 |
|                    | B5KV                | -           | -            | -            | -            | 121         | 129         | 132          | 132          | 126          | 121 |
|                    | B6KV                | -           | -            | -            | 120          | 117         | 122         | 123          | 119          | 112          | 111 |
| B4KM               | -                   | -           | -            | 137          | 136          | 141         | 143         | 147          | 148          | 149          |     |
| B5KM               | -                   | -           | -            | 135          | 134          | 136         | 137         | 138          | 137          | 135          |     |
| B4GK               | -                   | -           | 123          | 122          | 123          | 135         | 138         | 136          | 136          | 129          |     |
| B5GK               | -                   | -           | -            | 115          | 120          | 124         | 126         | 126          | 123          | 118          |     |
| B6GK               | -                   | -           | 103          | 107          | 110          | 115         | 120         | 114          | 110          | 103          |     |
| SMOKING LEAF       | H4F                 | -           | -            | -            | -            | -           | -           | 147          | 151          | 158          | 160 |
|                    | H5F                 | -           | -            | -            | -            | -           | -           | 146          | 150          | 155          | 159 |
|                    | H4K                 | -           | -            | -            | -            | -           | 143         | 146          | 148          | 149          | 147 |
|                    | H5K                 | -           | -            | -            | -            | -           | -           | 144          | 145          | 149          | 147 |
| CUTTERS            | C4L                 | -           | -            | -            | 138          | 139         | 143         | 147          | 153          | 156          | 162 |
|                    | C5L                 | -           | -            | 128          | 135          | 136         | 141         | 147          | 149          | 157          | -   |
|                    | C4F                 | -           | -            | 136          | 137          | 139         | 143         | 147          | 152          | 156          | 161 |
|                    | C5F                 | -           | -            | -            | 135          | 137         | 142         | 147          | 150          | 154          | 160 |
|                    | C4V                 | -           | 129          | 130          | 133          | 136         | 141         | 147          | 149          | 153          | 158 |
|                    | C4KM                | -           | 133          | 133          | 136          | 133         | 142         | 146          | 148          | 154          | 160 |
| LUGS               | X3L                 | -           | -            | 131          | 135          | 138         | 142         | 147          | 152          | -            | -   |
|                    | X4L                 | -           | -            | 127          | 128          | 133         | 139         | 143          | 145          | 149          | 150 |
|                    | X3F                 | -           | -            | 133          | 137          | 138         | 142         | 147          | 151          | 157          | 161 |
|                    | X4F                 | -           | 125          | 128          | 132          | 133         | 138         | 145          | 146          | 150          | 156 |
|                    | X5F                 | -           | 118          | 122          | 121          | 126         | 129         | 135          | 135          | 136          | 141 |
|                    | X4V                 | -           | 122          | 121          | 125          | 129         | 135         | 143          | 143          | 145          | 144 |
|                    | X4KF                | -           | -            | -            | 113          | 119         | 128         | 138          | 134          | 134          | 135 |
|                    | X4KV                | -           | 115          | -            | 117          | 115         | 125         | 132          | 132          | 134          | 131 |
|                    | X4KM                | 116         | 118          | 114          | 130          | 131         | 136         | 145          | 144          | 144          | 148 |
|                    | X4GK                | -           | 107          | 110          | 116          | 118         | 124         | 135          | 131          | 130          | 135 |
| X4G                | 110                 | 110         | 109          | 113          | 116          | 128         | 137         | 124          | 135          | -            |     |
| X5G                | 103                 | 103         | 103          | 107          | 106          | 112         | 121         | 119          | 119          | 109          |     |
| PRIMINGS           | P4L                 | 105         | 108          | 112          | 119          | 123         | 124         | 125          | 125          | 143          | -   |
|                    | P5L                 | 100         | 101          | 102          | 108          | 109         | 112         | 118          | 115          | -            | -   |
|                    | P4F                 | 110         | 111          | 114          | 120          | 123         | 125         | 131          | 132          | 135          | 138 |
|                    | P5F                 | 97          | 100          | 103          | 107          | 107         | 107         | 116          | 116          | 111          | 118 |
|                    | P4G                 | 93          | 95           | 97           | 102          | 104         | 116         | 114          | 114          | 102          | -   |
| P5G                | 85                  | 86          | 88           | 92           | 94           | 97          | 101         | 98           | 91           | 94           |     |
| NONDESCRIPT        | N1L                 | 87          | 88           | 89           | 90           | 92          | 92          | 97           | 100          | 94           | 100 |
|                    | (N1L)               | 85          | 79           | 80           | 81           | 80          | 79          | 93           | 80           | 76           | 94  |
|                    | N1XL                | -           | -            | 102          | 98           | 100         | 105         | 115          | 111          | 113          | 110 |
|                    | N1K                 | -           | -            | -            | -            | -           | 108         | 120          | 109          | 114          | 103 |
|                    | N1R                 | -           | -            | -            | -            | -           | 98          | -            | -            | 102          | 87  |
|                    | N1GL                | 79          | 80           | 81           | 82           | 86          | 88          | 97           | 98           | 91           | 90  |
|                    | (N1GL)              | 73          | 74           | 72           | 76           | 75          | 77          | 73           | 79           | 77           | 81  |
|                    | N1GF                | -           | -            | 87           | 86           | 99          | 100         | 105          | 99           | 94           | 90  |
|                    | N1KV                | -           | -            | 98           | 93           | 92          | 108         | 111          | 107          | 98           | 91  |
|                    | N1GR                | -           | -            | -            | -            | -           | 89          | 108          | 89           | 92           | 87  |
|                    | N1PO                | 79          | 82           | 84           | 84           | 90          | 87          | 93           | 80           | 84           | -   |
|                    | N1BO                | -           | -            | -            | -            | -           | -           | -            | 101          | 105          | 95  |
| N2                 | 53                  | 49          | 49           | 53           | 54           | 55          | 62          | 55           | 52           | 56           |     |

1/ No averages shown after week of November 17 due to lack of information.

2/ Grades in parentheses indicate special factor "sand" or "dirt".

Table 18  
 TYPE 11  
 Average prices by weeks, on representative grades, and season averages, 1977 and 1976 crops. 1/

| Group and Grade 2/ | W E E K E N D I N G |                |                |                |               |                |                |     | 1977 | 1976 |
|--------------------|---------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|-----|------|------|
|                    | Oct. :<br>6 :       | Oct. :<br>13 : | Oct. :<br>20 : | Oct. :<br>27 : | Nov. :<br>3 : | Nov. :<br>10 : | Nov. :<br>17 : |     |      |      |
| LEAF               | B4L                 | 166            | -              | -              | 161           | -              | -              | -   | 154  | 121  |
|                    | B3F                 | 168            | 170            | 171            | 174           | 172            | 162            | -   | 159  | 124  |
|                    | B4F                 | 161            | 164            | 161            | 157           | 153            | 146            | 147 | 155  | 122  |
|                    | B5F                 | 152            | 151            | 139            | 134           | 132            | 131            | 124 | 146  | 118  |
|                    | B4K                 | 138            | 140            | 131            | 127           | 126            | 126            | 124 | 139  | 116  |
|                    | B5K                 | 127            | 124            | 121            | 119           | 119            | 117            | 117 | 127  | 111  |
|                    | B6K                 | 115            | 114            | 112            | 112           | 112            | 112            | 111 | 115  | 105  |
|                    | B4V                 | 151            | 149            | 140            | 136           | 131            | 121            | -   | 146  | 115  |
|                    | B5V                 | 138            | 129            | 123            | 117           | 117            | 114            | -   | 135  | 111  |
|                    | B3KF                | 159            | 146            | 144            | 125           | 131            | 132            | 126 | 145  | 113  |
|                    | B4KF                | 134            | 133            | 123            | 118           | 116            | 117            | 115 | 130  | 108  |
|                    | B5KF                | 119            | 116            | 112            | 111           | 111            | 111            | 110 | 117  | 104  |
|                    | B6KF                | 108            | 107            | 106            | 105           | 105            | 105            | 105 | 107  | 98   |
|                    | B4KV                | 128            | 133            | 119            | 118           | 117            | 115            | 115 | 134  | 110  |
|                    | B5KV                | 115            | 114            | 109            | 109           | 108            | 107            | 108 | 120  | 105  |
|                    | B6KV                | 106            | 107            | 102            | 101           | 102            | 101            | -   | 107  | 99   |
| B4KM               | 143                 | 141            | 127            | 123            | 124           | 123            | 123            | 140 | 115  |      |
| B5KM               | 126                 | 121            | 117            | 116            | 115           | 115            | 113            | 126 | 110  |      |
| B4GK               | 126                 | 120            | 113            | 112            | 110           | 108            | -              | 128 | 108  |      |
| B5GK               | 112                 | 109            | 106            | 104            | 103           | 104            | 104            | 114 | 102  |      |
| B6GK               | 101                 | 100            | 99             | 99             | 98            | 98             | 98             | 102 | 96   |      |
| SMOKING LEAF       | H4F                 | 166            | 169            | -              | 173           | 166            | 166            | -   | 160  | 123  |
|                    | H5F                 | 157            | 154            | -              | -             | 153            | 142            | -   | 153  | 118  |
|                    | H4K                 | 149            | 152            | -              | -             | 142            | -              | -   | 147  | 119  |
|                    | H5K                 | 141            | 145            | -              | 126           | 130            | 124            | -   | 140  | 114  |
| CUTTERS            | C4L                 | 166            | -              | 173            | -             | 182            | -              | -   | 150  | 121  |
|                    | C5L                 | -              | -              | -              | 165           | -              | -              | -   | 144  | 119  |
|                    | C4F                 | 167            | 168            | 172            | 177           | 174            | 159            | 166 | 151  | 122  |
|                    | C5F                 | 161            | 162            | 166            | 159           | 164            | 153            | -   | 149  | 119  |
|                    | C4V                 | -              | -              | -              | -             | 157            | -              | -   | 142  | 116  |
|                    | C4KM                | 153            | -              | -              | 153           | 150            | -              | -   | 143  | 117  |
| LUGS               | X3L                 | -              | -              | -              | -             | -              | -              | -   | 142  | 118  |
|                    | X4L                 | 156            | -              | 150            | -             | 139            | 142            | -   | 136  | 113  |
|                    | X3F                 | 163            | 166            | 170            | 166           | 166            | 158            | 152 | 149  | 119  |
|                    | X4F                 | 157            | 155            | 145            | 146           | 140            | 140            | 132 | 142  | 114  |
|                    | X5F                 | 135            | 133            | 126            | 115           | 118            | 117            | 115 | 130  | 106  |
|                    | X4V                 | 143            | 143            | 140            | 134           | 123            | 117            | 119 | 133  | 109  |
|                    | X4KF                | 127            | 136            | 122            | -             | 114            | 111            | 113 | 126  | 107  |
|                    | X4KV                | 135            | 123            | 116            | 112           | 115            | 108            | 109 | 124  | 105  |
|                    | X4KM                | 135            | 144            | 133            | 123           | 130            | 114            | -   | 134  | 109  |
|                    | X4GK                | 129            | 122            | 106            | 113           | 113            | 104            | -   | 120  | 102  |
|                    | X4G                 | -              | -              | -              | -             | -              | -              | -   | 119  | 101  |
| X5G                | 109                 | 103            | -              | 101            | 107           | 98             | -              | 110 | 95   |      |
| PRIMINGS           | P4L                 | -              | -              | -              | -             | -              | 101            | -   | 117  | 98   |
|                    | P5L                 | -              | -              | -              | -             | 100            | 94             | -   | 105  | 92   |
|                    | P4F                 | 145            | 132            | -              | 106           | 104            | 104            | -   | 121  | 99   |
|                    | P5F                 | 111            | 99             | 99             | 96            | 96             | 95             | 94  | 106  | 92   |
|                    | P4G                 | -              | -              | -              | -             | -              | -              | -   | 101  | 88   |
| P5G                | 96                  | -              | 92             | -              | 85            | 81             | 85             | 91  | 82   |      |
| NONDESCRIPT        | N1L                 | 90             | 89             | 88             | 84            | 83             | 84             | 83  | 90   | 83   |
|                    | (N1L)               | -              | -              | -              | -             | -              | -              | -   | 82   | -    |
|                    | N1XL                | 105            | 108            | 96             | 92            | 95             | 91             | 89  | 104  | 90   |
|                    | N1K                 | 98             | 96             | 95             | 97            | 95             | 94             | 94  | 98   | 95   |
|                    | N1R                 | 86             | 88             | 87             | 88            | 86             | 85             | 85  | 86   | 85   |
|                    | N1GL                | 87             | 84             | 82             | 78            | 80             | 76             | 77  | 85   | 77   |
|                    | (N1GL)              | -              | -              | -              | -             | -              | -              | -   | 75   | -    |
|                    | N1GF                | 89             | 89             | 86             | 86            | 86             | 86             | 86  | 91   | 86   |
|                    | N1KV                | 89             | 90             | 87             | 87            | 86             | 86             | 85  | 90   | 86   |
|                    | N1GR                | 84             | 83             | 82             | 81            | 82             | 81             | 81  | 83   | 81   |
|                    | N1PO                | -              | 76             | -              | 76            | 73             | -              | -   | 84   | 74   |
|                    | N1B0                | 88             | 90             | 83             | 81            | 81             | 81             | -   | 86   | -    |
|                    | N2                  | 52             | 53             | 51             | 47            | 47             | 47             | 48  | 51   | 44   |

1/ No averages shown after week of November 17 due to lack of information.

2/ Grades in parentheses indicate special factor "sand" or "dirt".

Table 19  
 TYPE 12  
 Average prices by weeks, on representative grades, and season averages, 1977 and 1976 crops. 1/

| Group and Grade 2/ | W E E K E N D I N G |               |                |                |                |               |               |                |                |     |  |
|--------------------|---------------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|-----|--|
|                    | July :<br>28 :      | Aug. :<br>4 : | Aug. :<br>11 : | Aug. :<br>18 : | Aug. :<br>25 : | Sep. :<br>1 : | Sep. :<br>8 : | Sep. :<br>15 : | Sep. :<br>22 : |     |  |
| LEAF               | B4L                 | --            | --             | --             | 138            | 140           | 145           | --             | --             | --  |  |
|                    | B3F                 | --            | --             | 138            | 138            | 142           | 146           | 151            | 156            | 160 |  |
|                    | B4F                 | --            | --             | 137            | 138            | 141           | 145           | 149            | 155            | 159 |  |
|                    | B5F                 | --            | --             | --             | 137            | 140           | 144           | 148            | 153            | 156 |  |
|                    | B4FR                | --            | --             | --             | 138            | 141           | 144           | 150            | 154            | 157 |  |
|                    | B4K                 | --            | --             | 131            | 137            | 139           | 142           | 147            | 149            | 150 |  |
|                    | B5K                 | --            | --             | 134            | 134            | 134           | 136           | 141            | 140            | 139 |  |
|                    | B6K                 | --            | --             | --             | 125            | 128           | 130           | 133            | 131            | 123 |  |
|                    | B4V                 | --            | 131            | 135            | 137            | 139           | 143           | 148            | 153            | 155 |  |
|                    | B4KF                | --            | --             | 134            | 138            | 138           | 138           | 145            | 147            | 148 |  |
|                    | B5KF                | --            | --             | 126            | --             | 134           | 132           | 140            | 137            | 132 |  |
|                    | B6KF                | --            | --             | --             | 117            | 120           | 124           | 130            | 124            | 115 |  |
|                    | B4KV                | --            | --             | 133            | 133            | 134           | 139           | 144            | 142            | 147 |  |
|                    | B5KV                | --            | --             | 125            | 128            | 127           | 132           | 137            | 134            | 131 |  |
|                    | B6KV                | --            | --             | 120            | 121            | 120           | 122           | 129            | 120            | 116 |  |
|                    | B3KM                | --            | --             | 137            | 138            | 141           | 143           | 150            | 153            | 156 |  |
|                    | B4KM                | --            | --             | 136            | 137            | 137           | 142           | 147            | 149            | 152 |  |
| B5KM               | --                  | --            | 133            | 132            | 132            | 136           | 142           | 142            | 140            |     |  |
| B6KM               | --                  | --            | --             | 125            | 122            | 121           | 133           | 134            | 125            |     |  |
| B5GK               | --                  | 117           | 123            | 126            | 125            | 128           | 133           | 128            | 126            |     |  |
| B6GK               | --                  | --            | 114            | 116            | 118            | 119           | 121           | 117            | 112            |     |  |
| SMOKING LEAF       | H4F                 | --            | --             | --             | 138            | 142           | 144           | 149            | 156            | 159 |  |
|                    | H5F                 | --            | --             | --             | 138            | 143           | --            | 147            | --             | --  |  |
|                    | H4K                 | --            | --             | --             | 136            | 140           | 143           | 149            | 154            | 154 |  |
|                    | H5K                 | --            | --             | 130            | 134            | 138           | 141           | 143            | 151            | 150 |  |
| CUTTERS            | C4L                 | --            | --             | 137            | 138            | 143           | 146           | 150            | --             | 159 |  |
|                    | C5L                 | --            | 128            | 138            | 138            | 140           | 144           | 148            | --             | --  |  |
|                    | C4F                 | --            | --             | 138            | 138            | 142           | 145           | 149            | 155            | 160 |  |
|                    | C5F                 | --            | 131            | 137            | 137            | 140           | 143           | 147            | 153            | 158 |  |
|                    | C4V                 | --            | --             | 136            | 138            | 140           | 145           | 145            | --             | --  |  |
|                    | C4KM                | --            | 131            | 137            | 137            | 140           | 143           | 148            | 152            | 155 |  |
| LUGS               | X3L                 | 128           | 131            | 137            | 138            | 141           | 146           | 149            | 157            | 158 |  |
|                    | X4L                 | 123           | 126            | 133            | 136            | 139           | 143           | 146            | 153            | 158 |  |
|                    | X3F                 | 126           | 132            | 137            | 138            | 141           | 145           | 148            | 155            | 158 |  |
|                    | X4F                 | 121           | 127            | 134            | 136            | 139           | 140           | 145            | 151            | 155 |  |
|                    | X5F                 | 114           | 120            | 127            | 130            | 133           | 134           | 138            | 144            | 144 |  |
|                    | X4V                 | 116           | 123            | 128            | 132            | 136           | 139           | 141            | 147            | 148 |  |
|                    | X4KV                | 110           | 112            | 119            | 127            | 124           | 127           | 135            | 137            | 139 |  |
|                    | X3KM                | --            | 127            | 135            | 135            | 139           | 143           | --             | --             | 159 |  |
|                    | X4KM                | 115           | 123            | 128            | 133            | 134           | 137           | 140            | 145            | 145 |  |
|                    | X4GK                | 106           | 112            | 121            | 126            | 122           | 131           | 136            | 130            | 126 |  |
|                    | X4G                 | 109           | 111            | 117            | 123            | 127           | 130           | --             | 133            | --  |  |
| X5G                | 103                 | 107           | 110            | 118            | 118            | 114           | 121           | 122            | 125            |     |  |
| PRIMINGS           | P4L                 | 108           | 118            | 126            | 129            | 132           | 134           | 137            | 149            | --  |  |
|                    | P5L                 | 98            | 108            | 116            | 120            | 114           | 122           | --             | 137            | --  |  |
|                    | P4F                 | 108           | 119            | 126            | 126            | 127           | 132           | 133            | --             | --  |  |
|                    | P5F                 | 99            | 105            | 113            | 114            | 117           | 114           | 124            | 134            | 128 |  |
|                    | (P5F)               | 92            | 94             | 102            | 96             | --            | --            | --             | --             | --  |  |
|                    | P4G                 | 96            | 102            | 108            | 115            | --            | --            | --             | --             | --  |  |
| P5G                | 89                  | 94            | 97             | 106            | 105            | 97            | --            | --             | --             |     |  |
| NONDESCRIPT        | N1L                 | 87            | 93             | 97             | 100            | 100           | 96            | 109            | 112            | 109 |  |
|                    | (N1L)               | 82            | 84             | 92             | 93             | --            | 81            | --             | --             | --  |  |
|                    | N1XL                | 92            | 100            | 107            | 115            | 113           | 121           | 118            | 122            | 121 |  |
|                    | N1K                 | --            | --             | 114            | 115            | 118           | 123           | 127            | 119            | 107 |  |
|                    | N1R                 | --            | --             | --             | --             | 114           | 110           | 111            | 106            | 90  |  |
|                    | N1GL                | 80            | 85             | 88             | 98             | 99            | 101           | 97             | 100            | 99  |  |
|                    | (N1GL)              | 74            | 77             | 83             | --             | 77            | --            | --             | --             | --  |  |
|                    | N1GF                | --            | 87             | 97             | 100            | 103           | 112           | 115            | 109            | 102 |  |
|                    | N1KV                | --            | 91             | 110            | 115            | 116           | 115           | 122            | 112            | 97  |  |
|                    | N1GR                | --            | --             | --             | --             | 104           | 108           | 112            | 103            | 89  |  |
|                    | N1PO                | 80            | 86             | 92             | 89             | 96            | 87            | 92             | --             | --  |  |
|                    | N2                  | 58            | 61             | 65             | 71             | 78            | 85            | 95             | 88             | 76  |  |

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2/ Grades in parentheses indicate special factor "sand" or "dirt".

Table 19

T Y P E 1 2

Average prices by weeks, on representative grades, and season averages, 1977 and 1976 crops. 1/

| Group and Grade 2/ | W E E K E N D I N G |             |              |              |              |             |     | 1977 | 1976 |
|--------------------|---------------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-----|------|------|
|                    | Sep. :<br>29        | Oct. :<br>6 | Oct. :<br>13 | Oct. :<br>20 | Oct. :<br>27 | Nov. :<br>3 |     |      |      |
| LEAF               |                     |             |              |              |              |             |     |      |      |
| B4L                | --                  | --          | --           | --           | --           | --          | 147 | 123  |      |
| B3F                | 166                 | 171         | 171          | 176          | 193          | --          | 154 | 126  |      |
| B4F                | 164                 | 166         | 169          | 169          | 184          | --          | 151 | 124  |      |
| B5F                | 163                 | 158         | 159          | 163          | --           | 152         | 151 | 120  |      |
| B4FR               | 156                 | 166         | 152          | --           | --           | --          | 153 | 124  |      |
| B4K                | 154                 | 147         | 149          | 140          | 136          | 131         | 146 | 118  |      |
| B5K                | 138                 | 137         | 131          | 122          | 126          | 118         | 137 | 113  |      |
| B6K                | 125                 | 123         | 117          | 115          | 115          | 113         | 125 | 107  |      |
| B4V                | 160                 | 167         | --           | 171          | 158          | --          | 145 | 118  |      |
| B4KF               | 143                 | 143         | 143          | 134          | 133          | 124         | 143 | 113  |      |
| B5KF               | 125                 | 126         | 122          | 118          | 116          | 113         | 126 | 106  |      |
| B6KF               | 112                 | 111         | 110          | 109          | 108          | 106         | 112 | 102  |      |
| B4KV               | 144                 | 141         | 135          | 129          | --           | --          | 139 | 112  |      |
| B5KV               | 129                 | 127         | 123          | 116          | 112          | 112         | 129 | 107  |      |
| B6KV               | 112                 | 110         | 109          | 104          | 103          | 103         | 116 | 101  |      |
| B3KM               | 160                 | 165         | 161          | --           | 166          | --          | 149 | 119  |      |
| B4KM               | 154                 | 153         | 153          | 145          | 147          | 134         | 145 | 115  |      |
| B5KM               | 139                 | 140         | 134          | 125          | 128          | 120         | 137 | 110  |      |
| B6KM               | 123                 | 125         | 121          | 114          | 113          | --          | 123 | 102  |      |
| B5GK               | 122                 | 117         | 119          | 111          | 108          | 105         | 123 | 104  |      |
| B6GK               | 110                 | 106         | 103          | 103          | 99           | 99          | 111 | 97   |      |
| SMOKING LEAF       |                     |             |              |              |              |             |     |      |      |
| H4F                | --                  | 168         | 170          | 165          | 168          | --          | 153 | 125  |      |
| H5F                | --                  | --          | --           | --           | --           | --          | 152 | 121  |      |
| H4K                | 158                 | 159         | --           | --           | --           | --          | 149 | 120  |      |
| H5K                | 149                 | 152         | --           | --           | --           | --          | 144 | 116  |      |
| CUTTERS            |                     |             |              |              |              |             |     |      |      |
| C4L                | --                  | 167         | --           | --           | --           | --          | 146 | 121  |      |
| C5I                | --                  | 165         | --           | --           | --           | --          | 143 | 119  |      |
| C4F                | 165                 | 168         | 171          | 176          | --           | --          | 147 | 122  |      |
| C5F                | 164                 | 164         | 167          | 171          | --           | --          | 147 | 119  |      |
| C4V                | 161                 | --          | --           | --           | --           | --          | 142 | 118  |      |
| C4KM               | 161                 | 164         | 164          | 154          | 173          | 157         | 149 | 117  |      |
| LUGS               |                     |             |              |              |              |             |     |      |      |
| X3L                | 164                 | 167         | 171          | 176          | --           | --          | 143 | 118  |      |
| X4L                | 156                 | 166         | 161          | 150          | --           | --          | 138 | 114  |      |
| X3F                | 164                 | 167         | 168          | 167          | --           | --          | 142 | 119  |      |
| X4F                | 161                 | 162         | 155          | 154          | 167          | 155         | 139 | 114  |      |
| X5F                | 145                 | 146         | 133          | 134          | 132          | 124         | 132 | 107  |      |
| X4V                | 149                 | 153         | 148          | 135          | --           | --          | 131 | 109  |      |
| X4KV               | 145                 | 134         | 121          | 118          | --           | 112         | 126 | 104  |      |
| X3KM               | 164                 | --          | 161          | 163          | 175          | --          | 144 | 113  |      |
| X4KM               | 155                 | 150         | 149          | 138          | 152          | --          | 136 | 108  |      |
| X4GK               | 135                 | 126         | 128          | 114          | 107          | 113         | 123 | 102  |      |
| X4G                | --                  | --          | --           | --           | --           | --          | 119 | 102  |      |
| X5G                | 129                 | 117         | 118          | 103          | --           | --          | 113 | 96   |      |
| PRIMINGS           |                     |             |              |              |              |             |     |      |      |
| P4L                | --                  | 126         | --           | 131          | --           | --          | 118 | 99   |      |
| P5L                | 133                 | 128         | --           | 103          | --           | --          | 106 | 93   |      |
| P4F                | 140                 | 132         | --           | 123          | --           | --          | 119 | 100  |      |
| P5F                | 120                 | 109         | 108          | 106          | 94           | 105         | 107 | 93   |      |
| (P5F)              | --                  | --          | --           | --           | --           | --          | 94  | --   |      |
| P4G                | --                  | --          | --           | --           | --           | --          | 103 | 89   |      |
| P5G                | --                  | --          | --           | 84           | --           | --          | 94  | 83   |      |
| NONDESCRIPT        |                     |             |              |              |              |             |     |      |      |
| N1L                | 101                 | 97          | 92           | 86           | 86           | 84          | 93  | 84   |      |
| (N1L)              | --                  | --          | --           | --           | --           | --          | 83  | --   |      |
| N1XL               | 125                 | 112         | 106          | 100          | 94           | --          | 111 | 93   |      |
| N1K                | 110                 | 104         | 99           | 98           | 92           | 94          | 110 | 99   |      |
| N1R                | 87                  | 89          | 86           | 87           | 85           | 86          | 90  | 89   |      |
| N1GL               | 91                  | 89          | 90           | 81           | 76           | 79          | 90  | 78   |      |
| (N1GL)             | --                  | --          | --           | --           | --           | --          | 77  | --   |      |
| N1GF               | 99                  | 102         | 100          | 90           | --           | 87          | 103 | 89   |      |
| N1KV               | 96                  | 93          | 93           | 90           | 88           | 87          | 102 | 93   |      |
| N1GR               | 86                  | 85          | 85           | 82           | 81           | 82          | 88  | 86   |      |
| N1PO               | 86                  | --          | 82           | 75           | 72           | --          | 86  | 75   |      |
| N2                 | 67                  | 62          | 59           | 56           | 51           | 52          | 65  | 51   |      |

1/ No averages show after week of November 3 due to lack of information.

2/ Grades in parentheses indicate special factor "sand" or "dirt".

Table 20  
 TYPE 13  
 Average prices by weeks, on representative grades, and season averages, 1977 and 1976 crops.

| Group and Grade 1/ | W E E K E N D I N G |         |        |         |         |         |        |        |     |  |  |
|--------------------|---------------------|---------|--------|---------|---------|---------|--------|--------|-----|--|--|
|                    | Jul. 21             | Jul. 28 | Aug. 4 | Aug. 11 | Aug. 18 | Aug. 25 | Sep. 1 | Sep. 8 |     |  |  |
| LEAF               | B4L                 | -       | -      | 135     | 137     | -       | 141    | 142    | 148 |  |  |
|                    | B3F                 | -       | -      | -       | 137     | 138     | 142    | 145    | 148 |  |  |
|                    | B4F                 | -       | -      | 133     | 137     | 138     | 142    | 144    | 148 |  |  |
|                    | B5F                 | -       | -      | -       | 136     | 138     | 141    | 144    | 148 |  |  |
|                    | B4K                 | -       | -      | -       | 135     | 137     | 139    | 142    | 145 |  |  |
|                    | B5K                 | -       | -      | -       | 128     | 133     | 137    | 138    | 142 |  |  |
|                    | B6K                 | -       | -      | -       | -       | 127     | 132    | 133    | 138 |  |  |
|                    | B4KR                | -       | -      | -       | 131     | 137     | 142    | 143    | 146 |  |  |
|                    | B4V                 | -       | 117    | 131     | 135     | 137     | 142    | 142    | 147 |  |  |
|                    | B5V                 | -       | -      | -       | 129     | 136     | 139    | 141    | 145 |  |  |
|                    | B4KF                | -       | -      | -       | 129     | 136     | 139    | 141    | 145 |  |  |
|                    | B5KF                | -       | -      | 118     | 125     | 131     | 133    | 137    | 140 |  |  |
|                    | B6KF                | -       | -      | -       | -       | 124     | 127    | 132    | 131 |  |  |
|                    | B4KV                | -       | -      | -       | 131     | 134     | 135    | 139    | 142 |  |  |
|                    | B5KV                | -       | -      | -       | 119     | 127     | 131    | 135    | 140 |  |  |
|                    | B6KV                | -       | -      | -       | 113     | 120     | 128    | 127    | 133 |  |  |
|                    | B3KM                | -       | -      | -       | 137     | 138     | 140    | 144    | 147 |  |  |
|                    | B4KM                | -       | 127    | 129     | 134     | 137     | 139    | 142    | 146 |  |  |
| B5KM               | -                   | 126     | 131    | 130     | 134     | 138     | 140    | 144    |     |  |  |
| B4GK               | -                   | 122     | 119    | 128     | 131     | 134     | 139    | 142    |     |  |  |
| B5GK               | -                   | 113     | 112    | 121     | 127     | 129     | 132    | 136    |     |  |  |
| B6GK               | -                   | -       | 102    | 108     | 119     | 126     | 128    | 122    |     |  |  |
| SMOKING LEAF       | H4F                 | -       | -      | -       | -       | -       | 143    | 144    | 148 |  |  |
|                    | H5F                 | -       | -      | -       | -       | -       | 142    | 144    | 148 |  |  |
|                    | H4K                 | -       | -      | -       | -       | -       | -      | 144    | 148 |  |  |
|                    | H5K                 | -       | -      | -       | -       | -       | 142    | 141    | 145 |  |  |
|                    | C4L                 | -       | 129    | 134     | 137     | 139     | 143    | 144    | 149 |  |  |
| C5L                | 124                 | 126     | 131    | 136     | 137     | 142     | 145    | 148    |     |  |  |
| C4F                | -                   | -       | 133    | 136     | 138     | 143     | 145    | 150    |     |  |  |
| C5F                | -                   | 124     | 131    | 136     | 138     | 141     | 143    | 149    |     |  |  |
| C4V                | -                   | 126     | 131    | 135     | 138     | 141     | 144    | 149    |     |  |  |
| C4KM               | 122                 | 124     | 129    | 135     | 138     | 140     | 143    | 149    |     |  |  |
| C4GK               | -                   | 117     | 116    | 127     | 132     | 136     | 138    | 144    |     |  |  |
| LUGS               | X3L                 | 124     | 127    | 131     | 137     | 138     | 142    | 144    | 147 |  |  |
|                    | X4L                 | 118     | 124    | 128     | 132     | 135     | 138    | 143    | 146 |  |  |
|                    | X3F                 | -       | 127    | 134     | 137     | 138     | 142    | 143    | 148 |  |  |
|                    | X4F                 | 120     | 123    | 127     | 133     | 136     | 139    | 142    | 146 |  |  |
|                    | X5F                 | 114     | 117    | 118     | 124     | 128     | 133    | 137    | 134 |  |  |
|                    | X3V                 | -       | 125    | 128     | 130     | 138     | 139    | 143    | -   |  |  |
|                    | X4V                 | 114     | 120    | 121     | 128     | 133     | 137    | 139    | 140 |  |  |
|                    | X4KF                | -       | 113    | 117     | 117     | 120     | 135    | 134    | 139 |  |  |
|                    | X4KV                | -       | 111    | 113     | 114     | 122     | 126    | 134    | 135 |  |  |
|                    | X4KM                | 118     | 120    | 123     | 127     | 133     | 136    | 138    | 143 |  |  |
|                    | X4GK                | 105     | 109    | 111     | 115     | 123     | 124    | 130    | 127 |  |  |
|                    | X4G                 | 101     | 112    | 112     | 114     | 123     | 128    | 130    | 128 |  |  |
| X5G                | 99                  | 103     | 104    | 108     | 113     | 117     | 119    | 125    |     |  |  |
| PRIMINGS           | P3L                 | 112     | 119    | 124     | 132     | 137     | 136    | -      | 145 |  |  |
|                    | P4L                 | 105     | 114    | 119     | 121     | 124     | 131    | 126    | -   |  |  |
|                    | P5L                 | 96      | 106    | 107     | 114     | 116     | 122    | -      | 117 |  |  |
|                    | P4F                 | 105     | 113    | 118     | 124     | 122     | 132    | 124    | 121 |  |  |
|                    | P5F                 | 97      | 104    | 104     | 110     | 112     | 116    | 117    | 121 |  |  |
|                    | P4G                 | 91      | 105    | 102     | 110     | 112     | -      | -      | -   |  |  |
| P5G                | 85                  | 92      | 91     | 95      | 101     | 101     | -      | -      |     |  |  |
| NONDESCRIPT        | N1L                 | 87      | 92     | 91      | 95      | 93      | 99     | 103    | 103 |  |  |
|                    | (N1L)               | 78      | 82     | 82      | 81      | 79      | -      | -      | -   |  |  |
|                    | N1XL                | 106     | 102    | 103     | 103     | 108     | 114    | 125    | 130 |  |  |
|                    | N1GL                | 80      | 84     | 82      | 87      | 92      | 96     | 104    | 100 |  |  |
|                    | (N1GL)              | 73      | 75     | 73      | 71      | 76      | -      | -      | -   |  |  |
|                    | N1GF                | -       | 89     | 90      | 95      | 105     | 109    | 114    | 109 |  |  |
|                    | N1KV                | -       | -      | 95      | 96      | 103     | 122    | 121    | 125 |  |  |
|                    | N1PO                | 77      | 84     | 94      | 82      | 89      | 96     | 87     | -   |  |  |
|                    | N1BO                | -       | -      | -       | -       | 122     | 121    | 134    | 132 |  |  |
|                    | N2                  | 55      | 56     | 50      | 57      | 61      | 68     | 67     | 63  |  |  |

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Table 20  
Average prices by weeks, on representative grades, and season averages, 1977 and 1976 crops.

| Group and Grade 1/ | W E E K E N D I N G |         |         |        |         |         |     | 1977 | 1976 |
|--------------------|---------------------|---------|---------|--------|---------|---------|-----|------|------|
|                    | Sep. 15             | Sep. 22 | Sep. 29 | Oct. 6 | Oct. 13 | Oct. 20 |     |      |      |
| LEAF               | B4L                 | 154     | 155     | -      | -       | -       | -   | 146  | 120  |
|                    | B3F                 | 154     | 160     | 165    | 168     | 175     | 176 | 154  | 124  |
|                    | B4F                 | 153     | 157     | 163    | 163     | 167     | 164 | 151  | 123  |
|                    | B5F                 | 151     | 154     | 157    | 154     | 156     | 145 | 149  | 122  |
|                    | B4K                 | 147     | 149     | 144    | 145     | 143     | 135 | 145  | 121  |
|                    | B5K                 | 140     | 138     | 136    | 129     | 132     | 122 | 135  | 117  |
|                    | B6K                 | 132     | 130     | 121    | 121     | 123     | 118 | 126  | 111  |
|                    | B4KR                | 151     | 150     | 153    | 152     | 148     | -   | 145  | 120  |
|                    | B4V                 | 150     | 152     | 155    | 155     | -       | -   | 143  | 118  |
|                    | B5V                 | 146     | 150     | 149    | 141     | 144     | -   | 140  | 116  |
|                    | B4KF                | 146     | 147     | 141    | 131     | 134     | 127 | 139  | 117  |
|                    | B5KF                | 136     | 133     | 124    | 119     | 118     | 116 | 125  | 112  |
|                    | B6KF                | 122     | 119     | 112    | 109     | 109     | 108 | 113  | 105  |
|                    | B4KV                | 142     | 138     | 140    | 137     | 135     | 119 | 139  | 115  |
|                    | B5KV                | 133     | 132     | 120    | 119     | 128     | 114 | 128  | 111  |
|                    | B6KV                | 122     | 122     | 112    | 109     | 110     | 109 | 115  | 107  |
|                    | B3KM                | 153     | 156     | 163    | 162     | 164     | -   | 146  | 118  |
| B4KM               | 149                 | 148     | 149     | 147    | 142     | 135     | 144 | 117  |      |
| B5KM               | 142                 | 140     | 135     | 130    | 128     | 122     | 135 | 114  |      |
| B4GK               | 137                 | 138     | 130     | 127    | 125     | 119     | 133 | 110  |      |
| B5GK               | 130                 | 127     | 118     | 114    | 110     | 111     | 124 | 106  |      |
| B6GK               | 122                 | 117     | 104     | 104    | 106     | 103     | 114 | 100  |      |
| SMOKING LEAF       | H4F                 | 154     | 155     | 162    | 165     | -       | -   | 149  | 125  |
|                    | H5F                 | 152     | 157     | 161    | 162     | 169     | 152 | 151  | 124  |
|                    | H4K                 | 152     | 153     | 157    | -       | 147     | -   | 149  | 123  |
|                    | H5K                 | 148     | 149     | 148    | 148     | 153     | -   | 147  | 120  |
| CUTTERS            | C4L                 | 153     | 160     | 165    | 166     | 174     | -   | 146  | 120  |
|                    | C5L                 | 153     | 160     | 163    | 165     | 167     | -   | 142  | 117  |
|                    | C4F                 | 154     | 160     | 165    | 167     | 172     | -   | 146  | 121  |
|                    | C5F                 | 151     | 158     | 163    | 164     | 167     | 169 | 147  | 119  |
|                    | C4V                 | -       | -       | -      | -       | -       | -   | 139  | 116  |
|                    | C4KM                | 150     | 155     | 159    | 160     | 157     | -   | 141  | 115  |
|                    | C4GK                | 145     | 146     | 141    | -       | -       | -   | 134  | -    |
| LUGS               | X3L                 | 153     | 156     | -      | -       | 171     | -   | 139  | 115  |
|                    | X4L                 | 147     | 157     | 160    | 161     | -       | -   | 132  | 111  |
|                    | X3F                 | 153     | 156     | 162    | 163     | 169     | -   | 142  | 116  |
|                    | X4F                 | 150     | 155     | 157    | 156     | 159     | 157 | 141  | 114  |
|                    | X5F                 | 138     | 146     | 144    | 138     | 140     | 139 | 131  | 109  |
|                    | X3V                 | -       | -       | -      | -       | -       | -   | 132  | 110  |
|                    | X4V                 | 144     | 144     | 147    | 140     | 149     | -   | 129  | 108  |
|                    | X4KF                | 134     | 143     | 132    | 125     | -       | -   | 132  | 106  |
|                    | X4KV                | 135     | 136     | 132    | 123     | 128     | 119 | 125  | 107  |
|                    | X4KM                | 145     | 147     | 145    | 141     | 149     | 130 | 132  | 108  |
|                    | X4GK                | 127     | 131     | 126    | 115     | 117     | -   | 118  | 101  |
|                    | X4G                 | 124     | 136     | -      | 119     | -       | -   | 117  | 101  |
| X5G                | 120                 | 116     | 123     | 106    | -       | -       | 109 | 98   |      |
| PRIMINGS           | P3L                 | -       | -       | -      | -       | -       | -   | 124  | 101  |
|                    | P4L                 | 143     | -       | 127    | -       | -       | -   | 116  | 98   |
|                    | P5L                 | -       | -       | -      | -       | -       | -   | 105  | 92   |
|                    | P4F                 | -       | -       | 125    | -       | -       | -   | 117  | 99   |
|                    | P5F                 | 123     | 107     | 110    | 103     | 118     | 110 | 107  | 92   |
|                    | P4G                 | -       | -       | -      | -       | -       | -   | 102  | 88   |
|                    | P5G                 | -       | -       | -      | -       | -       | -   | 91   | 82   |
| NONDESCRIPT        | N1L                 | 100     | 97      | 100    | 92      | 99      | 92  | 93   | 84   |
|                    | (N1L)               | -       | -       | -      | -       | -       | -   | 80   | -    |
|                    | N1XL                | 118     | 117     | 107    | 106     | 119     | 99  | 110  | 96   |
|                    | N1GL                | 96      | 88      | 87     | 88      | 82      | 84  | 87   | 78   |
|                    | (N1GL)              | -       | -       | -      | -       | -       | -   | 74   | -    |
|                    | N1GF                | 109     | 112     | 92     | 89      | 99      | 89  | 101  | 91   |
|                    | N1KV                | 107     | 111     | 99     | 90      | 91      | 90  | 102  | 98   |
|                    | N1PO                | -       | 82      | 86     | -       | -       | -   | 85   | 75   |
|                    | N1BO                | 132     | 120     | 101    | 98      | 99      | 91  | 106  | -    |
|                    | N2                  | 61      | 59      | 56     | 55      | 55      | 47  | 56   | 49   |

1/ Grades in parentheses indicate special factor "sand" or "dirt".

Table 21  
 AVERAGE PRICES BY WEEKS, ON REPRESENTATIVE GRADES, AND SEASON AVERAGES, 1977 AND 1976 CROPS. 1/

| Group and Grade 2/ | W E E K E N D I N G |           |           |          |           |           |           |          |          |           |           |           | 1977 | 1976 |     |
|--------------------|---------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------|------|-----|
|                    | Jul. : 15           | Jul. : 21 | Jul. : 28 | Aug. : 4 | Aug. : 11 | Aug. : 18 | Aug. : 25 | Sep. : 1 | Sep. : 8 | Sep. : 15 | Sep. : 22 | Sep. : 29 |      |      |     |
| LEAF               | B4L                 | -         | -         | -        | 136       | 138       | 138       | 138      | -        | -         | -         | -         | -    | 138  | 119 |
|                    | B3F                 | -         | -         | 136      | 137       | 137       | 138       | 139      | -        | 141       | 150       | -         | -    | 139  | 120 |
|                    | B4F                 | -         | -         | 132      | 136       | 137       | 138       | 139      | 141      | 141       | 149       | 149       | 150  | 139  | 120 |
|                    | B5F                 | -         | -         | -        | 135       | 137       | 138       | 139      | 141      | 141       | 148       | 149       | 149  | 141  | 119 |
|                    | B4K                 | -         | -         | -        | 132       | 137       | 138       | 138      | 141      | 141       | 148       | 144       | 142  | 140  | 120 |
|                    | B5K                 | -         | -         | -        | 129       | 132       | 134       | 138      | 137      | 138       | 142       | 135       | 133  | 137  | 118 |
|                    | B6K                 | -         | -         | -        | 127       | 133       | 130       | 131      | 132      | 130       | 137       | 122       | 121  | 129  | 113 |
|                    | B4KR                | -         | -         | -        | 135       | 137       | 138       | 139      | 141      | 141       | 147       | -         | -    | 140  | 120 |
|                    | B4V                 | -         | -         | 132      | 135       | 137       | 138       | 139      | 141      | 141       | 149       | -         | -    | 138  | 118 |
|                    | B3KF                | -         | -         | -        | -         | -         | 138       | 140      | 141      | 141       | 148       | -         | 149  | 142  | 119 |
|                    | B4KF                | -         | -         | -        | 133       | 132       | 135       | 138      | 139      | 140       | 146       | 138       | 140  | 140  | 118 |
|                    | B5KF                | -         | -         | -        | 130       | 124       | 133       | 133      | 135      | 136       | 139       | 127       | 122  | 133  | 114 |
|                    | B6KF                | -         | -         | -        | -         | 123       | 121       | 129      | 126      | 125       | 127       | 111       | 110  | 121  | 108 |
|                    | B4KV                | -         | -         | -        | 131       | 129       | 136       | 136      | 139      | 140       | 147       | 139       | -    | 136  | 117 |
|                    | B5KV                | -         | -         | 125      | 126       | 126       | 134       | 135      | 136      | 133       | 138       | 128       | 122  | 132  | 113 |
|                    | B6KV                | -         | -         | -        | 119       | 118       | 123       | 134      | 128      | 131       | 132       | 110       | 113  | 126  | 106 |
| B3KM               | -                   | -         | 134       | 136      | 138       | 138       | 140       | 141      | -        | 149       | -         | -         | 139  | 119  |     |
| B4KM               | -                   | 127       | 132       | 134      | 136       | 138       | 139       | 140      | 140      | 147       | 145       | 143       | 138  | 118  |     |
| B5KM               | -                   | -         | 127       | 131      | 132       | 136       | 137       | 138      | 137      | 144       | 136       | 133       | 136  | 116  |     |
| B6KM               | -                   | -         | -         | 126      | 133       | 134       | 129       | 136      | 130      | 134       | 117       | 116       | 129  | 112  |     |
| B4GK               | -                   | -         | 123       | 127      | 128       | 133       | 136       | 137      | 139      | 137       | 134       | 125       | 132  | 112  |     |
| B5GK               | -                   | -         | 120       | 115      | 119       | 129       | 131       | 130      | 133      | 134       | 119       | 117       | 126  | 109  |     |
| B6GK               | -                   | -         | 112       | 109      | 117       | 119       | 121       | 119      | 122      | 124       | 106       | 104       | 116  | 104  |     |
| SMOKING LEAF       | H4F                 | -         | -         | -        | 136       | 137       | 138       | 139      | -        | -         | -         | -         | 139  | 121  |     |
|                    | H5F                 | -         | -         | -        | -         | -         | -         | 139      | -        | 141       | 150       | -         | 142  | 120  |     |
|                    | H5K                 | -         | -         | -        | -         | 138       | 138       | 138      | 140      | 140       | 148       | 144       | 140  | 120  |     |
|                    | H6K                 | -         | -         | -        | -         | -         | -         | 139      | 134      | 138       | 144       | 133       | 126  | 136  | 117 |
| CUTTERS            | C4L                 | -         | 128       | 132      | 136       | 137       | -         | -        | -        | -         | -         | -         | 133  | 117  |     |
|                    | C5L                 | -         | 126       | 131      | 131       | 137       | 138       | -        | -        | -         | -         | -         | 132  | 114  |     |
|                    | C4F                 | -         | 130       | 132      | 135       | 137       | 138       | 139      | 141      | -         | -         | -         | 135  | 118  |     |
|                    | C5F                 | 123       | 127       | 130      | 133       | 137       | 138       | 139      | 139      | -         | -         | -         | 134  | 115  |     |
|                    | C4V                 | -         | 128       | 130      | 130       | 136       | -         | -        | -        | -         | -         | -         | 131  | 114  |     |
|                    | C4KM                | -         | 127       | 130      | 133       | 136       | 138       | -        | -        | -         | -         | -         | 133  | 113  |     |
| LUGS               | X3L                 | -         | 126       | 130      | 136       | 137       | -         | -        | -        | -         | -         | -         | 131  | 114  |     |
|                    | X4L                 | -         | 124       | 128      | 132       | 135       | -         | -        | -        | -         | -         | -         | 131  | 110  |     |
|                    | X3F                 | 123       | 128       | 130      | 135       | 137       | 138       | -        | -        | -         | -         | -         | 132  | 114  |     |
|                    | X4F                 | 119       | 126       | 129      | 133       | 136       | 138       | 138      | 140      | 139       | 141       | -         | 133  | 111  |     |
|                    | X5F                 | -         | 119       | 123      | 127       | 131       | 135       | 134      | 138      | 137       | 140       | -         | 129  | 107  |     |
|                    | X4V                 | 116       | 120       | 125      | 127       | 129       | 137       | 137      | -        | 129       | -         | -         | 127  | 106  |     |
|                    | X4RV                | -         | 114       | 123      | 124       | 122       | 133       | 131      | 132      | -         | 136       | -         | 125  | 108  |     |
|                    | X4KM                | 114       | 122       | 125      | 129       | 129       | 133       | 134      | -        | -         | -         | -         | 126  | 106  |     |
|                    | X4GK                | 110       | 111       | 115      | 118       | 118       | 130       | 131      | 132      | -         | -         | -         | 117  | 101  |     |
|                    | X4G                 | -         | 112       | 116      | 116       | 119       | 132       | -        | -        | -         | -         | -         | 117  | 101  |     |
| X5G                | -                   | 103       | 109       | 112      | 113       | 120       | 137       | -        | -        | -         | -         | 112       | 96   |      |     |
| PRIMINGS           | P4L                 | 108       | 119       | 120      | 124       | -         | -         | -        | -        | -         | -         | -         | 117  | 97   |     |
|                    | P5L                 | 97        | 110       | 110      | 113       | -         | -         | -        | -        | -         | -         | -         | 106  | 93   |     |
|                    | P4F                 | 104       | 118       | 121      | 121       | 130       | -         | -        | -        | -         | -         | -         | 116  | 99   |     |
|                    | P5F                 | 96        | 108       | 112      | 108       | 120       | 128       | -        | 133      | -         | -         | -         | 108  | 93   |     |
|                    | (P5F)               | 88        | 97        | 104      | 94        | -         | -         | -        | -        | -         | -         | -         | 96   | -    |     |
|                    | P4G                 | 94        | 104       | 108      | 105       | 107       | -         | -        | -        | -         | -         | -         | 103  | 89   |     |
|                    | P5G                 | 88        | 96        | 96       | 93        | 101       | -         | -        | -        | -         | -         | -         | 94   | 84   |     |
|                    | (P5G)               | 78        | 84        | 88       | 80        | -         | -         | -        | -        | -         | -         | -         | 83   | -    |     |
| NONDESCRIPT        | N1L                 | 87        | 94        | 97       | 104       | 107       | 122       | -        | 111      | -         | -         | -         | 96   | 85   |     |
|                    | (N1L)               | 78        | 87        | 90       | 84        | 99        | -         | -        | -        | -         | -         | -         | 85   | -    |     |
|                    | N1XL                | -         | 109       | 112      | 119       | 125       | 129       | 123      | 119      | -         | -         | -         | 120  | 98   |     |
|                    | N1K                 | -         | -         | -        | -         | 118       | 131       | 130      | 123      | 129       | 130       | 104       | 102  | 105  |     |
|                    | N1GL                | 80        | 88        | 92       | 90        | 100       | 114       | 122      | 123      | -         | -         | 78        | -    | 80   |     |
|                    | (N1GL)              | 71        | 78        | 82       | 85        | 103       | -         | -        | -        | -         | -         | -         | 78   | -    |     |
|                    | N1GF                | -         | -         | 92       | 96        | 99        | 117       | 111      | 112      | 124       | -         | 96        | 88   | 105  | 93  |
|                    | N1KV                | -         | -         | -        | 113       | 104       | 116       | 130      | 119      | 120       | 127       | 94        | 94   | 115  | 98  |
|                    | N1PO                | 78        | 90        | 96       | 88        | -         | 133       | 116      | -        | -         | -         | -         | -    | 93   | 76  |
|                    | N1BO                | -         | -         | -        | 125       | -         | 134       | 133      | 133      | 127       | 127       | 100       | 91   | 120  | -   |
|                    | N2                  | 54        | 63        | 64       | 66        | 74        | 90        | 96       | 91       | 85        | 97        | 73        | 61   | 67   | 57  |

1/ No averages shown after week ending September 29 due to lack of information.

2/ Grades in parentheses indicate special factor "sand" or "dirt".

Table 22 Dates of designation by the Secretary of Agriculture for official inspection and market news on flue-cured markets, and year service began. 1/

| Type<br>Market, and State | Designated     | Year<br>Service<br>began | Type<br>Market, and State | Designated    | Year<br>Service<br>began |
|---------------------------|----------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|---------------|--------------------------|
| <u>Type 11(a)</u>         |                |                          | <u>Type 13</u>            |               |                          |
| Virginia:                 |                |                          | South Carolina:           |               |                          |
| Brookneal                 | June 26, 1942  | 1946                     | Conway                    | June 26, 1942 | 1944                     |
| Chase City                | "              | "                        | Darlington                | July 1, 1936  | 1939                     |
| Clarksville               | "              | "                        | Dillon                    | Aug. 16, 1941 | 1941                     |
| Danville                  | Aug. 16, 1941  | 1941                     | Hemingway                 | June 16, 1950 | 1950                     |
| Kenbridge                 | June 26, 1942  | 1942                     | Kingstree                 | June 26, 1942 | 1944                     |
| Lawrenceville             | "              | 1946                     | Lake City                 | July 1, 1936  | 1939                     |
| Martinsville              | "              | 1942                     | Lamar                     | May 28, 1951  | 1951                     |
| Petersburg                | "              | 1946                     | Loris                     | Aug. 16, 1941 | 1941                     |
| Rocky Mount 2/            | "              | "                        | Mullins                   | June 26, 1942 | 1942                     |
| South Boston              | "              | 1945                     | Pamplico                  | July 1, 1936  | 1939                     |
| South Hill                | Aug. 23, 1938  | 1938                     | Timmons ville             | Aug. 16, 1941 | 1941                     |
| North Carolina:           |                |                          | North Carolina:           |               |                          |
| Burlington                | June 26, 1942  | 1946                     | Chadbourn                 | June 26, 1942 | 1946                     |
| Greensboro                | June 16, 1950  | 1950                     | Clarkton                  | "             | "                        |
| Madison                   | June 26, 1942  | 1946                     | Fair Bluff                | "             | "                        |
| Mebane                    | "              | 1942                     | Fairmont                  | "             | 1945                     |
| Mt. Airy                  | "              | 1946                     | Fayetteville              | June 17, 1947 | 1947                     |
| Reidsville                | Aug. 26, 1941  | 1941                     | Lumberton                 | June 26, 1942 | 1946                     |
| Roxboro                   | June 26, 1942  | 1942                     | Tabor City                | "             | "                        |
| Stoneville                | "              | 1946                     | Whiteville                | "             | "                        |
| Winston-Salem             | "              | 1942                     |                           |               |                          |
| Yadkinville               | April 10, 1970 | 1970                     |                           |               |                          |
| <u>Type 11(b)</u>         |                |                          | <u>Type 14</u>            |               |                          |
| North Carolina:           |                |                          | Georgia:                  |               |                          |
| Aberdeen                  | June 26, 1942  | 1946                     | Adel                      | June 22, 1939 | 1939                     |
| Carthage                  | "              | "                        | Alma                      | May 10, 1955  | 1955                     |
| Durham                    | "              | 1944                     | Baxley                    | June 26, 1942 | 1942                     |
| Ellerbe                   | Aug. 25, 1949  | 1949                     | Blackshear                | "             | 1945                     |
| Fuquay-Varina             | Aug. 16, 1941  | 1941                     | Claxton                   | July 30, 1948 | 1948                     |
| Henderson                 | June 26, 1942  | 1945                     | Douglas                   | June 22, 1939 | 1939                     |
| Louisburg                 | "              | 1946                     | Fitzgerald                | July 22, 1946 | 1946                     |
| Oxford                    | Aug. 26, 1936  | 1936                     | Hahira                    | Aug. 16, 1941 | 1941                     |
| Sanford                   | June 26, 1942  | 1946                     | Hazlehurst                | June 26, 1942 | 1942                     |
| Warrenton                 | "              | "                        | Metter                    | Aug. 16, 1941 | 1941                     |
|                           |                |                          | Moultrie                  | June 26, 1942 | 1944                     |
|                           |                |                          | Mashville                 | June 22, 1939 | 1939                     |
|                           |                |                          | Pearson                   | May 10, 1955  | 1955                     |
|                           |                |                          | Pelham                    | June 26, 1942 | 1942                     |
|                           |                |                          | Quitman                   | Aug. 28, 1945 | 1945                     |
|                           |                |                          | Statesboro                | Aug. 16, 1941 | 1941                     |
|                           |                |                          | Swainsboro                | June 29, 1956 | 1956                     |
|                           |                |                          | Sylvester                 | June 16, 1950 | 1950                     |
|                           |                |                          | Thomasville               | June 29, 1956 | 1956                     |
|                           |                |                          | Tifton                    | June 26, 1942 | 1942                     |
|                           |                |                          | Valdosta                  | June 21, 1940 | 1940                     |
|                           |                |                          | Vidalia                   | June 26, 1942 | 1942                     |
|                           |                |                          | Waycross                  | "             | "                        |
| <u>Type 12</u>            |                |                          | Florida:                  |               |                          |
| North Carolina:           |                |                          | High Springs              |               |                          |
| Ahoskie                   | June 26, 1942  | 1942                     | Jasper                    | May 27, 1948  | 1948                     |
| Clinton                   | Aug. 9, 1946   | 1946                     | Lake City                 | June 26, 1942 | 1945                     |
| Dunn                      | July 15, 1949  | 1949                     | Live Oak                  | June 21, 1940 | 1940                     |
| Farmville                 | July 13, 1936  | 1936                     | Madison                   | June 29, 1956 | 1956                     |
| Goldsboro                 | "              | "                        |                           |               |                          |
| Greenville                | July 24, 1939  | 1939                     |                           |               |                          |
| Kinston                   | June 26, 1942  | 1946                     |                           |               |                          |
| Robersonville             | Aug. 16, 1941  | 1941                     |                           |               |                          |
| Rocky Mount               | June 26, 1942  | 1945                     |                           |               |                          |
| Smithfield                | "              | 1944                     |                           |               |                          |
| Tarboro                   | Aug. 16, 1941  | 1941                     |                           |               |                          |
| Wallace                   | June 26, 1942  | 1946                     |                           |               |                          |
| Washington                | "              | 1944                     |                           |               |                          |
| Wendell                   | Sept. 14, 1937 | 1937                     |                           |               |                          |
| Williamston               | Aug. 16, 1941  | 1941                     |                           |               |                          |
| Wilson                    | June 26, 1942  | 1942                     |                           |               |                          |
| Windsor                   | June 16, 1950  | 1950                     |                           |               |                          |

1/ By authority of The Tobacco Inspection Act, approved August 23, 1935.

2/ Discontinued after the 1962 season.

Table 23 Percentage distribution by groups for flue-cured types, 1974 to 1977 crops. 2/

| Crop Year   | A Wrappers | B Leaf | H S. Leaf | C Cutters | X Lugs | P Primings | M Mixed | N Nondescript | Misc. |
|-------------|------------|--------|-----------|-----------|--------|------------|---------|---------------|-------|
| T Y P E 1 1 |            |        |           |           |        |            |         |               |       |
| 1974        | <u>1/</u>  | 47.1   | 14.5      | 8.7       | 12.5   | 10.9       | --      | 4.2           | 2.1   |
| 1975        | <u>1/</u>  | 45.2   | 10.5      | 7.6       | 16.4   | 10.4       | --      | 7.4           | 2.5   |
| 1976        | --         | 59.1   | 1.8       | 6.9       | 14.0   | 9.9        | --      | 7.6           | .7    |
| 1977        | --         | 54.0   | 1.2       | 3.7       | 12.4   | 6.3        | .1      | 21.2          | 1.1   |
| 1978        |            |        |           |           |        |            |         |               |       |
| 1979        |            |        |           |           |        |            |         |               |       |
| 1980        |            |        |           |           |        |            |         |               |       |
| 1981        |            |        |           |           |        |            |         |               |       |
| 1982        |            |        |           |           |        |            |         |               |       |
| 1983        |            |        |           |           |        |            |         |               |       |
| 1984        |            |        |           |           |        |            |         |               |       |

| T Y P E 1 2 |           |      |     |      |      |      |    |      |     |
|-------------|-----------|------|-----|------|------|------|----|------|-----|
| 1974        | .1        | 52.6 | 8.7 | 10.1 | 10.0 | 11.6 | -- | 4.5  | 2.5 |
| 1975        | <u>1/</u> | 49.2 | 9.2 | 8.5  | 14.0 | 11.5 | -- | 5.6  | 2.0 |
| 1976        | --        | 56.5 | 3.3 | 10.5 | 12.1 | 11.0 | .1 | 5.5  | 1.0 |
| 1977        | --        | 47.7 | 1.1 | 3.8  | 12.6 | 6.0  | -- | 27.7 | 1.1 |
| 1978        |           |      |     |      |      |      |    |      |     |
| 1979        |           |      |     |      |      |      |    |      |     |
| 1980        |           |      |     |      |      |      |    |      |     |
| 1981        |           |      |     |      |      |      |    |      |     |
| 1982        |           |      |     |      |      |      |    |      |     |
| 1983        |           |      |     |      |      |      |    |      |     |
| 1984        |           |      |     |      |      |      |    |      |     |

| T Y P E 1 3 |           |      |     |      |      |      |    |      |     |
|-------------|-----------|------|-----|------|------|------|----|------|-----|
| 1974        | <u>1/</u> | 55.1 | 4.5 | 11.2 | 9.6  | 12.2 | -- | 3.7  | 3.5 |
| 1975        | --        | 47.7 | 7.0 | 9.9  | 14.6 | 12.6 | -- | 4.2  | 4.0 |
| 1976        | --        | 55.1 | 4.9 | 10.9 | 10.1 | 11.7 | -- | 5.3  | 2.0 |
| 1977        | --        | 50.1 | 1.2 | 5.5  | 16.2 | 6.8  | .3 | 18.0 | 1.9 |
| 1978        |           |      |     |      |      |      |    |      |     |
| 1979        |           |      |     |      |      |      |    |      |     |
| 1980        |           |      |     |      |      |      |    |      |     |
| 1981        |           |      |     |      |      |      |    |      |     |
| 1982        |           |      |     |      |      |      |    |      |     |
| 1983        |           |      |     |      |      |      |    |      |     |
| 1984        |           |      |     |      |      |      |    |      |     |

| T Y P E 1 4 |    |      |      |      |      |      |    |      |     |
|-------------|----|------|------|------|------|------|----|------|-----|
| 1974        | -- | 45.0 | 15.6 | 10.5 | 11.1 | 11.5 | -- | 3.1  | 3.2 |
| 1975        | -- | 52.5 | 8.2  | 7.7  | 10.4 | 11.5 | -- | 5.0  | 4.7 |
| 1976        | -- | 56.6 | 3.6  | 5.8  | 11.0 | 15.4 | -- | 4.6  | 3.0 |
| 1977        | -- | 48.8 | 1.4  | 3.6  | 10.6 | 6.6  | -- | 21.1 | 7.9 |
| 1978        |    |      |      |      |      |      |    |      |     |
| 1979        |    |      |      |      |      |      |    |      |     |
| 1980        |    |      |      |      |      |      |    |      |     |
| 1981        |    |      |      |      |      |      |    |      |     |
| 1982        |    |      |      |      |      |      |    |      |     |
| 1983        |    |      |      |      |      |      |    |      |     |
| 1984        |    |      |      |      |      |      |    |      |     |

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Table 24 Percentage distribution by qualities for flue-cured types, 1974 to 1977 2/

| Crop Year   | 1<br>Choice | 2<br>Fine | 3<br>Good | 4<br>Fair | 5<br>Low | 6<br>Poor | Nondescript | Misc. |
|-------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------|-------------|-------|
| T Y P E 1 1 |             |           |           |           |          |           |             |       |
| 1974        | .1          | 1.4       | 20.1      | 50.5      | 20.3     | 1.3       | 4.2         | 2.1   |
| 1975        | .1          | .7        | 11.3      | 46.5      | 28.0     | 3.5       | 7.4         | 2.5   |
| 1976        | --          | .4        | 10.2      | 50.4      | 26.7     | 4.0       | 7.6         | .7    |
| 1977        | .1          | .3        | 4.6       | 31.0      | 29.6     | 12.1      | 21.2        | 1.1   |
| 1978        |             |           |           |           |          |           |             |       |
| 1979        |             |           |           |           |          |           |             |       |
| 1980        |             |           |           |           |          |           |             |       |
| 1981        |             |           |           |           |          |           |             |       |
| 1982        |             |           |           |           |          |           |             |       |
| 1983        |             |           |           |           |          |           |             |       |
| 1984        |             |           |           |           |          |           |             |       |

| T Y P E 1 2 |    |     |      |      |      |      |      |     |
|-------------|----|-----|------|------|------|------|------|-----|
| 1974        | .3 | 2.0 | 25.4 | 49.3 | 15.2 | .8   | 4.5  | 2.5 |
| 1975        | .1 | .9  | 16.9 | 51.9 | 20.7 | 1.9  | 5.6  | 2.0 |
| 1976        | .6 | 2.3 | 24.5 | 49.0 | 15.7 | 1.4  | 5.5  | 1.0 |
| 1977        | .1 | .4  | 5.8  | 27.2 | 25.1 | 12.6 | 27.7 | 1.1 |
| 1978        |    |     |      |      |      |      |      |     |
| 1979        |    |     |      |      |      |      |      |     |
| 1980        |    |     |      |      |      |      |      |     |
| 1981        |    |     |      |      |      |      |      |     |
| 1982        |    |     |      |      |      |      |      |     |
| 1983        |    |     |      |      |      |      |      |     |
| 1984        |    |     |      |      |      |      |      |     |

| T Y P E 1 3 |    |     |      |      |      |     |      |     |
|-------------|----|-----|------|------|------|-----|------|-----|
| 1974        | 1/ | 1.2 | 23.3 | 47.2 | 20.1 | 1.1 | 3.7  | 3.5 |
| 1975        | .1 | .5  | 11.8 | 50.4 | 26.8 | 2.2 | 4.2  | 4.0 |
| 1976        | .1 | 1.0 | 17.9 | 52.1 | 20.4 | 1.2 | 5.3  | 2.0 |
| 1977        | -- | .2  | 4.4  | 40.0 | 30.4 | 5.1 | 18.0 | 1.9 |
| 1978        |    |     |      |      |      |     |      |     |
| 1979        |    |     |      |      |      |     |      |     |
| 1980        |    |     |      |      |      |     |      |     |
| 1981        |    |     |      |      |      |     |      |     |
| 1982        |    |     |      |      |      |     |      |     |
| 1983        |    |     |      |      |      |     |      |     |
| 1984        |    |     |      |      |      |     |      |     |

| T Y P E 1 4 |    |     |      |      |      |     |      |     |
|-------------|----|-----|------|------|------|-----|------|-----|
| 1974        | .2 | 3.2 | 24.2 | 45.3 | 18.5 | 2.3 | 3.1  | 3.2 |
| 1975        | 1/ | .8  | 13.9 | 46.3 | 25.9 | 3.4 | 5.0  | 4.7 |
| 1976        | .1 | 1.1 | 21.4 | 48.6 | 19.3 | 1.9 | 4.6  | 3.0 |
| 1977        | -- | .1  | 4.0  | 30.6 | 28.2 | 8.1 | 21.1 | 7.9 |
| 1978        |    |     |      |      |      |     |      |     |
| 1979        |    |     |      |      |      |     |      |     |
| 1980        |    |     |      |      |      |     |      |     |
| 1981        |    |     |      |      |      |     |      |     |
| 1982        |    |     |      |      |      |     |      |     |
| 1983        |    |     |      |      |      |     |      |     |
| 1984        |    |     |      |      |      |     |      |     |

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Table 25 Percentage distribution by colors for flue-cured types, 1974 to 1977 crops. 2/

| Crop Year   | L   | F    | FR  | R  | K    | K(sf) | V   | S  | G    | Nond | Misc |
|-------------|-----|------|-----|----|------|-------|-----|----|------|------|------|
| T Y P E 1 1 |     |      |     |    |      |       |     |    |      |      |      |
| 1974        | 9.8 | 50.9 | 2.7 | .1 | 20.9 | 7.3   | --  | .1 | 2.1  | 4.2  | 2.1  |
| 1975        | 9.1 | 44.7 | 1.9 | .3 | 21.7 | 9.4   | --  | 1/ | 3.0  | 7.4  | 2.5  |
| 1976        | 8.5 | 26.8 | .7  | .1 | 18.3 | 25.1  | 4.5 | -- | 7.7  | 7.6  | .7   |
| 1977        | 3.2 | 17.3 | .3  | .3 | 10.6 | 31.5  | 3.5 | -- | 11.0 | 21.2 | 1.1  |
| 1978        |     |      |     |    |      |       |     |    |      |      |      |
| 1979        |     |      |     |    |      |       |     |    |      |      |      |
| 1980        |     |      |     |    |      |       |     |    |      |      |      |
| 1981        |     |      |     |    |      |       |     |    |      |      |      |
| 1982        |     |      |     |    |      |       |     |    |      |      |      |
| 1983        |     |      |     |    |      |       |     |    |      |      |      |
| 1984        |     |      |     |    |      |       |     |    |      |      |      |

|             |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |
|-------------|------|------|-----|----|------|------|-----|----|------|------|-----|
| T Y P E 1 2 |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |
| 1974        | 17.4 | 45.6 | 4.9 | 1/ | 14.9 | 8.4  | --  | .1 | 1.9  | 4.5  | 2.5 |
| 1975        | 10.1 | 43.2 | 4.5 | 1/ | 22.6 | 8.9  | --  | 1/ | 3.1  | 5.6  | 2.0 |
| 1976        | 9.9  | 38.7 | 4.4 | -- | 17.6 | 14.4 | 3.3 | .1 | 5.1  | 5.5  | 1.0 |
| 1977        | 4.4  | 14.6 | .9  | .1 | 11.8 | 27.0 | 2.4 | -- | 10.0 | 27.7 | 1.1 |
| 1978        |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |
| 1979        |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |
| 1980        |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |
| 1981        |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |
| 1982        |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |
| 1983        |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |
| 1984        |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |

|             |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |
|-------------|------|------|-----|----|------|------|-----|----|------|------|-----|
| T Y P E 1 3 |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |
| 1974        | 14.5 | 53.2 | 1.8 | 1/ | 10.8 | 10.3 | --  | .4 | 1.8  | 3.7  | 3.5 |
| 1975        | 11.6 | 43.5 | .3  | 1/ | 16.9 | 15.7 | --  | .1 | 3.7  | 4.2  | 4.0 |
| 1976        | 10.4 | 46.6 | .3  | -- | 14.4 | 12.1 | 4.2 | .3 | 4.4  | 5.3  | 2.0 |
| 1977        | 6.5  | 19.4 | .1  | -- | 13.9 | 25.9 | 3.6 | -- | 10.7 | 18.0 | 1.9 |
| 1978        |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |
| 1979        |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |
| 1980        |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |
| 1981        |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |
| 1982        |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |
| 1983        |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |
| 1984        |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |

|             |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |     |      |      |     |
|-------------|------|------|-----|----|------|------|-----|-----|------|------|-----|
| T Y P E 1 4 |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |     |      |      |     |
| 1974        | 18.8 | 45.9 | 3.3 | 1/ | 16.7 | 6.2  | --  | .1  | 2.7  | 3.1  | 3.2 |
| 1975        | 15.9 | 41.3 | 1.2 | 1/ | 17.0 | 12.5 | --  | .1  | 2.3  | 5.0  | 4.7 |
| 1976        | 17.0 | 37.4 | 1.6 | .1 | 10.6 | 14.6 | 4.6 | 1.0 | 5.5  | 4.6  | 3.0 |
| 1977        | 3.3  | 14.0 | .1  | -- | 13.1 | 26.8 | 2.9 | --  | 10.8 | 21.1 | 7.9 |
| 1978        |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |     |      |      |     |
| 1979        |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |     |      |      |     |
| 1980        |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |     |      |      |     |
| 1981        |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |     |      |      |     |
| 1982        |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |     |      |      |     |
| 1983        |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |     |      |      |     |
| 1984        |      |      |     |    |      |      |     |     |      |      |     |

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Table 26 Percentage distribution by groups, qualities and colors for flue-cured Types 11-14, 1974 to 1977 crops. 2/

| Crop Year | G R O U P  |        |           |           |        |            |         |               |       |
|-----------|------------|--------|-----------|-----------|--------|------------|---------|---------------|-------|
|           | A Wrappers | B Leaf | H S. Leaf | C Cutters | X Lugs | P Primings | M Mixed | N Nondescript | Misc. |
| 1974      | 1/         | 50.3   | 10.6      | 10.0      | 10.8   | 11.5       | --      | 4.0           | 2.8   |
| 1975      | 1/         | 48.2   | 8.9       | 8.5       | 14.4   | 11.4       | --      | 5.7           | 2.9   |
| 1976      | --         | 57.1   | 3.0       | 8.9       | 12.1   | 11.4       | --      | 6.1           | 1.4   |
| 1977      | --         | 50.4   | 1.2       | 4.1       | 13.0   | 6.3        | .1      | 22.7          | 2.2   |
| 1978      |            |        |           |           |        |            |         |               |       |
| 1979      |            |        |           |           |        |            |         |               |       |
| 1980      |            |        |           |           |        |            |         |               |       |
| 1981      |            |        |           |           |        |            |         |               |       |
| 1982      |            |        |           |           |        |            |         |               |       |
| 1983      |            |        |           |           |        |            |         |               |       |
| 1984      |            |        |           |           |        |            |         |               |       |

| Crop Year | Q U A L I T Y |        |        |        |       |        |             |       |
|-----------|---------------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|-------------|-------|
|           | 1 Choice      | 2 Fine | 3 Good | 4 Fair | 5 Low | 6 Poor | Nondescript | Misc. |
| 1974      | .2            | 1.8    | 23.1   | 48.6   | 18.3  | 1.2    | 4.0         | 2.8   |
| 1975      | .1            | .7     | 13.7   | 49.4   | 24.9  | 2.6    | 5.7         | 2.9   |
| 1976      | .3            | 1.2    | 18.1   | 50.0   | 20.6  | 2.3    | 6.1         | 1.4   |
| 1977      | .1            | .2     | 4.9    | 31.5   | 28.1  | 10.3   | 22.7        | 2.2   |
| 1978      |               |        |        |        |       |        |             |       |
| 1979      |               |        |        |        |       |        |             |       |
| 1980      |               |        |        |        |       |        |             |       |
| 1981      |               |        |        |        |       |        |             |       |
| 1982      |               |        |        |        |       |        |             |       |
| 1983      |               |        |        |        |       |        |             |       |
| 1984      |               |        |        |        |       |        |             |       |

| Crop Year | C O L O R |      |     |    |      |       |     |    |      |      |       |
|-----------|-----------|------|-----|----|------|-------|-----|----|------|------|-------|
|           | L         | F    | FR  | R  | K    | K(sf) | V   | S  | G    | Nond | Misc. |
| 1974      | 14.7      | 48.9 | 3.3 | 1/ | 16.0 | 8.2   | --  | .1 | 2.0  | 4.0  | 2.8   |
| 1975      | 10.9      | 43.5 | 2.4 | 1/ | 20.3 | 11.1  | --  | 1/ | 3.2  | 5.7  | 2.9   |
| 1976      | 10.4      | 36.2 | 2.0 | -- | 16.4 | 17.5  | 4.0 | .2 | 5.8  | 6.1  | 1.4   |
| 1977      | 4.2       | 16.5 | .5  | .1 | 12.0 | 28.2  | 3.1 | -- | 10.5 | 22.7 | 2.2   |
| 1978      |           |      |     |    |      |       |     |    |      |      |       |
| 1979      |           |      |     |    |      |       |     |    |      |      |       |
| 1980      |           |      |     |    |      |       |     |    |      |      |       |
| 1981      |           |      |     |    |      |       |     |    |      |      |       |
| 1982      |           |      |     |    |      |       |     |    |      |      |       |
| 1983      |           |      |     |    |      |       |     |    |      |      |       |
| 1984      |           |      |     |    |      |       |     |    |      |      |       |

C O L O R K E Y

- L - Lemon
- F - Orange
- FR - Orange Red
- R - Red
- K - Variegated (K and KR)
- K(sf) - Variegated (KL, KF, KV, and KM)
- V - Greenish
- S - Slick
- G - Green
- Nond. - Nondescript
- Misc. - No grade, W, U, etc.

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Table 27 Percentage distribution by grades for flue-cured tobacco, Types 11-14, 1977 crop.

| Group and Grade | 1 9 7 7 C R O P |        |        |        | Group and Grade | 1 9 7 7 C R O P |        |        |        |
|-----------------|-----------------|--------|--------|--------|-----------------|-----------------|--------|--------|--------|
|                 | 11              | 12     | 13     | 14     |                 | 11              | 12     | 13     | 14     |
| Wrappers:       |                 |        |        |        | Smoking Leaf:   |                 |        |        |        |
| ALL             | -               | -      | -      | -      | H3L             | .013            | .014   | .003   | .013   |
| A1F             | -               | -      | -      | -      | H4L             | .020            | .022   | .016   | .010   |
| Total A         | -               | -      | -      | -      | H5L             | .004            | .010   | .008   | .006   |
|                 |                 |        |        |        | H6L             | -               | -      | -      | -      |
| Leaf:           |                 |        |        |        | H1F             | -               | .003   | -      | -      |
| B1L             | .022            | .005   | -      | -      | H2F             | .001            | .008   | -      | -      |
| B2L             | .051            | .020   | .016   | .002   | H3F             | .051            | .093   | .039   | .032   |
| B3L             | .171            | .116   | .102   | .161   | H4F             | .275            | .273   | .282   | .184   |
| B4L             | .144            | .083   | .195   | .265   | H5F             | .160            | .095   | .208   | .178   |
| B5L             | .017            | .014   | .083   | .071   | H6F             | .017            | .003   | .012   | .009   |
| B6L             | .002            | -      | .002   | .004   | H4FR            | .006            | .018   | .001   | .001   |
| B1F             | .054            | .016   | -      | .002   | H5FR            | .003            | .017   | -      | .030   |
| B2F             | .155            | .108   | .053   | .052   | H6FR            | .009            | -      | -      | -      |
| B3F             | 1.184           | 1.165  | .818   | 1.081  | H4K             | .248            | .198   | .139   | .209   |
| B4F             | 3.810           | 2.707  | 4.573  | 2.997  | H5K             | .308            | .219   | .356   | .491   |
| B5F             | 1.468           | .856   | 3.322  | 1.299  | H6K             | .126            | .121   | .129   | .271   |
| B6F             | .070            | .064   | .124   | .049   | Total H         | 1.241           | 1.094  | 1.193  | 1.434  |
| B1FR            | -               | -      | -      | -      | Cutters:        |                 |        |        |        |
| B2FR            | .006            | .006   | -      | -      | C1L             | .001            | -      | .005   | -      |
| B3FR            | .037            | .121   | .001   | -      | C2L             | .019            | .011   | .012   | .001   |
| B4FR            | .223            | .469   | .034   | .054   | C3L             | .106            | .126   | .120   | .046   |
| B5FR            | .036            | .246   | .033   | .033   | C4L             | .277            | .279   | .610   | .292   |
| B6FR            | .007            | .033   | .001   | .006   | C5L             | .191            | .132   | .570   | .269   |
| B4R             | .014            | .007   | .002   | -      | C1F             | .002            | -      | .001   | -      |
| B5R             | .330            | .076   | .027   | -      | C2F             | .010            | .015   | .003   | -      |
| B3K             | .352            | .385   | .156   | .274   | C3F             | .112            | .156   | .041   | .049   |
| B4K             | 4.085           | 3.324  | 5.873  | 4.147  | C4F             | .803            | .728   | .697   | .653   |
| B5K             | 3.795           | 4.255  | 5.387  | 4.631  | C5F             | .937            | .614   | 1.446  | .897   |
| B6K             | 1.301           | 2.253  | 1.115  | 1.861  | C4KR            | .051            | .188   | .095   | .138   |
| B3KR            | .050            | .206   | .032   | .123   | C4V             | .417            | .295   | .403   | .338   |
| B4KR            | .146            | .401   | .340   | .523   | C4S             | .001            | .005   | .016   | -      |
| B5KR            | .073            | .156   | .115   | .265   | C4KL            | .062            | .005   | .161   | .022   |
| B3V             | .171            | .150   | .101   | .182   | C4KM            | .450            | .967   | .929   | .575   |
| B4V             | .995            | .619   | .852   | .807   | C4G             | .090            | .072   | .077   | .107   |
| B5V             | .402            | .157   | .393   | .326   | C4GK            | .153            | .192   | .342   | .213   |
| B3S             | .005            | .007   | .015   | .001   | Total C         | 3.682           | 3.785  | 5.528  | 3.600  |
| B4S             | .002            | .009   | .029   | .001   | Lugs:           |                 |        |        |        |
| B5S             | -               | -      | -      | -      | X1L             | .011            | .015   | .008   | -      |
| B3KL            | .031            | .010   | .049   | .008   | X2L             | .042            | .076   | .027   | .045   |
| B4KL            | .093            | .036   | .191   | .083   | X3L             | .231            | .602   | .558   | .201   |
| B5KL            | .077            | .013   | .087   | .088   | X4L             | .373            | .483   | .855   | .387   |
| B6KL            | .032            | .004   | .025   | .018   | X5L             | .102            | .112   | .149   | .150   |
| B3KF            | .448            | .160   | .187   | .330   | X1F             | .015            | .026   | .004   | -      |
| B4KF            | 4.323           | 1.864  | 2.970  | 3.132  | X2F             | .053            | .102   | .027   | .012   |
| B5KF            | 7.714           | 4.357  | 4.543  | 5.804  | X3F             | .563            | .879   | .564   | .300   |
| B6KF            | 5.588           | 4.525  | 1.578  | 3.009  | X4F             | 2.549           | 2.355  | 2.847  | 1.695  |
| B4KV            | 1.131           | 1.058  | 1.082  | 1.321  | X5F             | 1.888           | 1.765  | 1.748  | 1.411  |
| B5KV            | 2.607           | 2.837  | 1.989  | 2.396  | X3KR            | .008            | .050   | .027   | .027   |
| B6KV            | 1.872           | 2.480  | .863   | 1.051  | X4KR            | .030            | .086   | .099   | .102   |
| B3KM            | .346            | .678   | .511   | .605   | X3V             | .335            | .306   | .418   | .215   |
| B4KM            | 2.097           | 2.640  | 4.578  | 3.500  | X4V             | 1.176           | .899   | 1.477  | 1.006  |
| B5KM            | 1.397           | 2.129  | 2.307  | 2.242  | X3S             | -               | .008   | .015   | .011   |
| B6KM            | .273            | .507   | .260   | .412   | X4KL            | .041            | .018   | .097   | .045   |
| B4G             | .116            | .150   | .166   | .237   | X4KF            | .323            | .080   | .327   | .127   |
| B5G             | .140            | .189   | .166   | .277   | X4KV            | 1.799           | 1.300  | 1.439  | .849   |
| B6G             | .049            | .037   | .019   | .069   | X3KM            | .142            | .301   | .235   | .181   |
| B5GR            | .269            | .189   | .006   | .034   | X4KM            | .640            | .978   | 1.438  | 1.021  |
| B4GK            | .826            | .729   | 1.331  | 1.296  | X4GK            | .842            | .919   | 1.961  | 1.113  |
| B5GK            | 2.753           | 2.381  | 2.370  | 2.290  | X4G             | .437            | .508   | .882   | .646   |
| B6GK            | 2.668           | 2.614  | .998   | 1.334  | X5G             | .823            | .719   | .995   | 1.024  |
| B5GG            | .008            | .037   | .017   | .013   | Total X         | 12.423          | 12.587 | 16.197 | 10.568 |
| Total B         | 54.036          | 47.658 | 50.087 | 48.766 |                 |                 |        |        |        |

Table 27 Percentage distribution by grades for flue-cured tobacco, Types 11-14, 1977 crop.

| Group and Grade | 1 9 7 7 C R O P |       |       |       | Group and Grade | 1 9 7 7 C R O P |         |         |         |
|-----------------|-----------------|-------|-------|-------|-----------------|-----------------|---------|---------|---------|
|                 | 11              | 12    | 13    | 14    |                 | 11              | 12      | 13      | 14      |
| Primings:       |                 |       |       |       | Nondescript:    |                 |         |         |         |
| P2L             | .003            | .028  | .040  | .009  | N1L             | 2.020           | 2.163   | 1.916   | 1.344   |
| P2L sand        | -               | .007  | -     | -     | N1L sand        | .238            | .284    | .261    | .479    |
| P3L             | .094            | .183  | .282  | .109  | N1XL            | .582            | .593    | .568    | .469    |
| P3L sand        | .006            | .054  | .050  | .009  | N1K             | .810            | 1.186   | .370    | 1.094   |
| P4L             | .567            | .744  | 1.179 | .524  | N1R             | 1.003           | 1.338   | .024    | .415    |
| P4L sand        | .052            | .175  | .228  | .123  | N1GL            | 3.907           | 3.140   | 4.070   | 2.760   |
| P5L             | .599            | .847  | 1.080 | .449  | N1GL sand       | .391            | .240    | .247    | .760    |
| P5L sand        | .062            | .189  | .254  | .156  | N1GF            | .709            | .853    | .529    | .734    |
| P2F             | .001            | .006  | .002  | -     | N1KV            | 1.464           | 2.345   | .710    | .840    |
| P2F sand        | -               | -     | -     | -     | N1GR            | 2.637           | 2.834   | .044    | .372    |
| P3F             | .046            | .064  | .054  | .043  | N1GG            | .019            | .027    | .004    | .005    |
| P3F sand        | .010            | .010  | .014  | .004  | N1PO            | .284            | .435    | .449    | .348    |
| P4F             | .819            | .722  | .655  | .846  | N1PO sand       | .057            | .095    | .090    | .168    |
| P4F sand        | .073            | .131  | .079  | .232  | N1XO            | .165            | .100    | .171    | .328    |
| P5F             | 1.841           | 1.369 | 1.373 | 1.475 | N1BO            | .583            | .480    | .408    | 1.503   |
| P5F sand        | .163            | .238  | .184  | .447  | N2              | 6.315           | 11.591  | 8.193   | 9.443   |
| P4G             | .457            | .315  | .368  | .521  | Total N         | 21.184          | 27.704  | 18.054  | 21.062  |
| P4G sand        | .048            | .069  | .028  | .202  |                 |                 |         |         |         |
| P5G             | 1.309           | .716  | .811  | .972  | No Grade        | .633            | .795    | .866    | 4.799   |
| P5G sand        | .143            | .106  | .088  | .484  | NOGF sand       | .150            | .074    | .122    | .796    |
| Total P         | 6.293           | 5.973 | 6.769 | 6.605 | W - Unsafe      | .052            | .025    | .127    | .512    |
| Mixed:          |                 |       |       |       | U - Unsound     | .244            | .225    | .803    | 1.815   |
| M4F             | .005            | .015  | .057  | .002  |                 |                 |         |         |         |
| M5F             | .011            | .013  | .038  | .004  | Grand Total     | 100.000         | 100.000 | 100.000 | 100.000 |
| N4KR            | -               | -     | .001  | .002  |                 |                 |         |         |         |
| M4KM            | -               | .011  | .011  | .001  |                 |                 |         |         |         |
| M5KM            | .003            | .022  | .002  | .016  |                 |                 |         |         |         |
| M4GK            | .007            | .007  | .019  | -     |                 |                 |         |         |         |
| M5GK            | .036            | .012  | .126  | .018  |                 |                 |         |         |         |
| Total M         | .062            | .080  | .254  | .043  |                 |                 |         |         |         |

Table 28 Breakdown of marketings by selected grouping for the 1977 crop.

| GRUPINGS                              | TYPES   |         |         |         |         |
|---------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
|                                       | 11      | 12      | 13      | 14      | 11-14   |
| Straight Grades<br>(Mature to Mellow) | 35.066  | 34.207  | 43.324  | 33.317  | 36.230  |
| Variegated<br>(KL,KF,KV,KM)           | 31.489  | 26.980  | 25.859  | 26.836  | 28.194  |
| Slick<br>(S Grades)                   | .008    | .029    | .075    | .013    | .029    |
| Green<br>(Includes Rank)              | 11.174  | 9.961   | 10.770  | 10.850  | 10.647  |
| Nondescript                           | 21.184  | 27.704  | 18.054  | 21.062  | 22.666  |
| No Grade <u>1/</u>                    | 1.079   | 1.119   | 1.918   | 7.922   | 2.234   |
| TOTAL                                 | 100.000 | 100.000 | 100.000 | 100.000 | 100.000 |

1/ Includes tobacco defined as decayed, botched, off-type, and nested; also unsafe keeping order and unsound. Also includes grade NOGF sand which totaled 0,210 percent.

Table 29 Percentage distribution by grades for all flue-cured. 1/

| Group and Grade  | C R O P O F: |        |        | Group and Grade      | C R O P O F: |        |        |
|------------------|--------------|--------|--------|----------------------|--------------|--------|--------|
|                  | 1975         | 1976   | 1977   |                      | 1975         | 1976   | 1977   |
| <b>Wrappers:</b> |              |        |        | B3KL                 | .074         | .092   | .026   |
| A1L              | -            | .002   | -      | B4KL                 | .207         | .219   | .093   |
| A1F              | .001         | .003   | -      | B5KL                 | .045         | .066   | .059   |
| A2F              | .001         | -      | -      | B6KL                 | .004         | .017   | .019   |
| Total AF         | .002         | .003   | -      | Total BKL            | .330         | .394   | .197   |
| <b>Total A</b>   | .002         | .005   | -      | B3KF                 | .217         | .435   | .283   |
| <b>Leaf:</b>     |              |        |        | B4KF                 | 1.166        | 2.205  | 3.070  |
| B1L              | .013         | .037   | .009   | B5KF                 | .585         | 1.465  | 5.692  |
| B2L              | .071         | .174   | .027   | B6KF                 | .150         | .394   | 4.051  |
| B3L              | .757         | .828   | .138   | Total BKF            | 2.118        | 4.499  | 13.096 |
| B4L              | .679         | .764   | .152   | B4KV                 | .556         | .995   | 1.124  |
| B5L              | .089         | .131   | .037   | B5KV                 | .590         | .966   | 2.526  |
| B6L              | .004         | .012   | .002   | B6KV                 | .229         | .329   | 1.748  |
| Total BL         | 1.613        | 1.946  | .365   | Total BKV            | 1.375        | 2.290  | 5.398  |
| B1F              | .023         | .136   | .023   | B3KM                 | .958         | 1.928  | .526   |
| B2F              | .205         | .610   | .104   | B4KM                 | 3.114        | 4.289  | 2.981  |
| B3F              | 3.753        | 5.822  | 1.088  | B5KM                 | .879         | 1.001  | 1.944  |
| B4F              | 9.678        | 9.744  | 3.488  | B6KM                 | .119         | .111   | .367   |
| B5F              | 3.390        | 2.469  | 1.622  | Total BKM            | 5.070        | 7.329  | 5.818  |
| B6F              | .117         | .087   | .076   | B5RR                 | .004         | -      | -      |
| Total BF         | 17.166       | 18.868 | 6.401  | B4G                  | -            | .342   | .155   |
| B1FR             | .001         | .006   | -      | B5G                  | -            | .191   | .181   |
| B2FR             | .021         | .039   | .004   | B6G                  | -            | .033   | .042   |
| B3FR             | .454         | .562   | .052   | Total BG             | -            | .566   | .378   |
| B4FR             | 1.157        | 1.025  | .241   | B4GL                 | .028         | -      | -      |
| B5FR             | .300         | .233   | .104   | B5GL                 | .009         | -      | -      |
| B6FR             | .014         | .008   | .014   | B6GL                 | .003         | -      | -      |
| Total BFR        | 1.947        | 1.873  | .415   | Total BGL            | .040         | -      | -      |
| B4R              | .005         | .010   | .007   | B4GF                 | .133         | -      | -      |
| B5R              | .036         | .037   | .138   | B5GF                 | .119         | -      | -      |
| B6R              | .037         | -      | -      | B6GF                 | .029         | -      | -      |
| Total BR         | .078         | .047   | .145   | Total BGF            | .281         | -      | -      |
| B3K              | .697         | .723   | .312   | B4GR                 | .009         | -      | -      |
| B4K              | 6.324        | 6.323  | 4.210  | B5GR                 | .013         | .029   | .156   |
| B5K              | 4.132        | 3.202  | 4.391  | B6GR                 | .012         | -      | -      |
| B6K              | 1.077        | .713   | 1.655  | Total BGR            | .034         | .029   | .156   |
| Total BK         | 12.230       | 10.961 | 10.568 | B4GK                 | .398         | 1.130  | .964   |
| B3KR             | .655         | 1.122  | .108   | B5GK                 | .410         | 1.069  | 2.487  |
| B4KR             | 1.844        | 1.719  | .323   | B6GK                 | .140         | .420   | 2.118  |
| B5KR             | .364         | .279   | .136   | Total BGK            | .948         | 2.619  | 5.569  |
| Total BKR        | 2.863        | 3.120  | .567   | B5RG                 | .003         | -      | -      |
| B3V              | -            | .616   | .151   | B4GG                 | .005         | -      | -      |
| B4V              | -            | 1.432  | .816   | B5GG                 | .017         | .021   | .020   |
| B5V              | -            | .313   | .309   | Total BGG            | .022         | .021   | .020   |
| Total BV         | -            | 2.361  | 1.276  | <b>Total B</b>       | 48.168       | 57.118 | 50.386 |
| B3LV             | .099         | -      | -      | <b>Smoking Leaf:</b> |              |        |        |
| B4LV             | .190         | -      | -      | H1L                  | .002         | -      | -      |
| B5LV             | .022         | -      | -      | H2L                  | .012         | -      | -      |
| Total BLV        | .311         | -      | -      | H3L                  | .091         | .046   | .011   |
| B3FV             | .311         | -      | -      | H4L                  | .170         | .069   | .019   |
| B4FV             | 1.075        | -      | -      | H5L                  | .041         | .019   | .007   |
| B5FV             | .305         | -      | -      | H6L                  | .002         | .002   | -      |
| Total BFV        | 1.691        | -      | -      | Total HL             | .318         | .136   | .037   |
| B3S              | -            | .088   | .007   | H1F                  | .001         | .002   | .001   |
| B4S              | -            | .095   | .010   | H2F                  | .021         | .031   | .003   |
| B5S              | -            | .012   | -      | H3F                  | .434         | .383   | .060   |
| Total BS         | -            | .195   | .017   | H4F                  | 2.284        | .936   | .263   |
| B3LS             | .017         | -      | -      | H5F                  | 1.266        | .364   | .151   |
| B4LS             | .009         | -      | -      | H6F                  | .058         | .014   | .010   |
| B5LS             | -            | -      | -      | Total HF             | 4.064        | 1.730  | .488   |
| B6LS             | -            | -      | -      | H3FR                 | .016         | -      | -      |
| Total BLS        | .026         | -      | -      | H4FR                 | .227         | .092   | .008   |
| B3FS             | .007         | -      | -      | H5FR                 | .158         | .040   | .011   |
| B4FS             | .010         | -      | -      | H6FR                 | .024         | .004   | .003   |
| B5FS             | .001         | -      | -      | Total HFR            | .425         | .136   | .022   |
| B6FS             | -            | -      | -      | H4K                  | 1.520        | .495   | .204   |
| Total BFS        | .018         | -      | -      | H5K                  | 1.981        | .469   | .315   |

Table 29 Percentage distribution by grades for all flue-cured. 1/

| Group and Grade | C R O P O F: |       |       | Group and Grade | C R O P O F: |         |         |
|-----------------|--------------|-------|-------|-----------------|--------------|---------|---------|
|                 | 1975         | 1976  | 1977  |                 | 1975         | 1976    | 1977    |
| H6K             | .608         | .155  | .146  | X3KM            | .278         | .378    | .219    |
| Total HK        | 4.109        | 1.119 | .665  | X4KM            | .680         | .744    | .968    |
| Total H         | 8.916        | 3.121 | 1.212 | Total XKM       | .958         | 1.122   | 1.187   |
| Cutters:        |              |       |       | X4GK            | .239         | .489    | 1.135   |
| C1L             | .003         | .011  | .001  | X4G             | .264         | .457    | .581    |
| C2L             | .021         | .035  | .012  | X5G             | .143         | .202    | .853    |
| C3L             | .195         | .305  | .107  | Total XG        | .407         | .659    | 1.434   |
| C4L             | 1.028        | 1.005 | .348  | Total X         | 14.362       | 12.153  | 12.989  |
| C5L             | .745         | .624  | .260  | Primings:       |              |         |         |
| Total CL        | 1.992        | 1.980 | .728  | P2L             | .058         | .101    | .019    |
| C1F             | .001         | .003  | .001  | P2L sand        | -            | -       | .002    |
| C2F             | .007         | .038  | .009  | P3L             | .852         | .975    | .164    |
| C3F             | .200         | .447  | .103  | P3L sand        | -            | -       | .031    |
| C4F             | 1.975        | 2.123 | .735  | P4L             | 2.073        | 2.070   | .744    |
| C5F             | 2.308        | 1.770 | .929  | P4L sand        | -            | -       | .139    |
| Total CF        | 4.491        | 4.381 | 1.777 | P5L             | .876         | 1.004   | .757    |
| C4KR            | .679         | .675  | .117  | P5L sand        | -            | -       | .157    |
| C4V             | -            | .548  | .363  | Total PL        | 3.859        | 4.150   | 2.013   |
| C4LV            | .194         | -     | -     | P2F             | .012         | .025    | .003    |
| C4FV            | .222         | -     | -     | P2F sand        | -            | -       | -       |
| C4S             | -            | -     | .005  | P3F             | .416         | .473    | .053    |
| C4LS            | .007         | -     | -     | P3F sand        | -            | -       | .010    |
| C5LS            | -            | -     | -     | P4F             | 2.847        | 2.636   | .757    |
| Total CLS       | .007         | -     | -     | P4F sand        | -            | -       | .116    |
| C4KL            | .046         | .087  | .058  | P5F             | 3.161        | 2.617   | 1.538   |
| C4KF            | .027         | -     | -     | P5F sand        | -            | -       | .233    |
| C4KM            | .812         | 1.064 | .736  | Total PF        | 6.436        | 5.751   | 2.710   |
| C4G             | -            | .116  | .084  | P4G             | .613         | .683    | .401    |
| C4GK            | -            | -     | .213  | P4G sand        | -            | -       | .073    |
| Total C         | 8.470        | 8.851 | 4.081 | P5G             | .538         | .735    | .964    |
| Lugs:           |              |       |       | P5G sand        | -            | -       | .168    |
| X1L             | .026         | .031  | .011  | Total PG        | 1.151        | 1.418   | 1.606   |
| X2L             | .168         | .127  | .052  | Total P         | 11.446       | 11.319  | 6.329   |
| X3L             | 1.085        | 1.014 | .416  | Mixed:          |              |         |         |
| X4L             | .865         | .855  | .510  | M4F             | -            | .007    | .018    |
| X5L             | .142         | .126  | .122  | M5F             | -            | .008    | .017    |
| Total XL        | 2.286        | 2.153 | 1.111 | Total MF        | -            | .015    | .035    |
| X1F             | .014         | .034  | .014  | M4KR            | -            | .001    | -       |
| X2F             | .147         | .119  | .058  | M4KM            | -            | .007    | .006    |
| X3F             | 1.748        | 1.283 | .629  | M5KM            | -            | .011    | .010    |
| X4F             | 4.404        | 2.868 | 2.424 | Total MKM       | -            | .018    | .016    |
| X5F             | 2.209        | 1.122 | 1.751 | M4GK            | -            | .003    | .009    |
| Total XF        | 8.522        | 5.426 | 4.876 | M5GK            | -            | .002    | .043    |
| X3KR            | -            | .188  | .030  | Total MGK       | -            | .005    | .052    |
| X4KR            | .411         | .291  | .073  | Total M         | -            | .039    | .103    |
| Total XKR       | .411         | .479  | .103  | Nondescript:    |              |         |         |
| X3V             | -            | .395  | .325  | N1L             | 2.155        | 1.719   | 1.949   |
| X4V             | -            | .736  | 1.123 | N1L sand        | -            | -       | .292    |
| Total XV        | -            | 1.131 | 1.448 | N1XL            | .536         | .260    | .567    |
| X3LV            | .180         | -     | -     | N1K             | .603         | .209    | .884    |
| X4LV            | .169         | -     | -     | N1R             | .114         | .077    | .829    |
| Total XLV       | .349         | -     | -     | N1GL            | .600         | .981    | 3.525   |
| X3FV            | .234         | -     | -     | N1GL sand       | -            | -       | .365    |
| X4FV            | .621         | -     | -     | N1GF            | .128         | .142    | .723    |
| Total XFV       | .855         | -     | -     | N1KV            | -            | .131    | 1.510   |
| X3S             | -            | -     | .007  | N1GR            | .092         | .148    | 1.848   |
| X3LS            | .005         | -     | -     | N1GG            | .008         | .009    | .017    |
| X4LS            | .002         | -     | -     | N1PO            | -            | .864    | .376    |
| Total XLS       | .007         | -     | -     | N1PO sand       | -            | -       | .092    |
| X3FS            | -            | -     | -     | N1XO            | -            | .215    | .168    |
| X4FS            | -            | -     | -     | N1BO            | -            | -       | .645    |
| Total XFS       | -            | -     | -     | N2              | 1.470        | 1.306   | 8.876   |
| X4KL            | .036         | .060  | .046  | Total N         | 5.706        | 6.061   | 22.666  |
| X4KF            | .041         | .131  | .216  | No Grade 2/     | 2.930        | 1.333   | 2.234   |
| X4KV            | .251         | .503  | 1.426 | GRAND TOTAL     | 100.000      | 100.000 | 100.000 |

1/ Table shows new grades added 1977 as well as grades authorized in previous years.

2/ Includes tobacco defined as decayed, off-type, and nested; also includes unsafe keeping order and unsound. Also includes grade NOGF sand which totaled 0.210 percent.

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